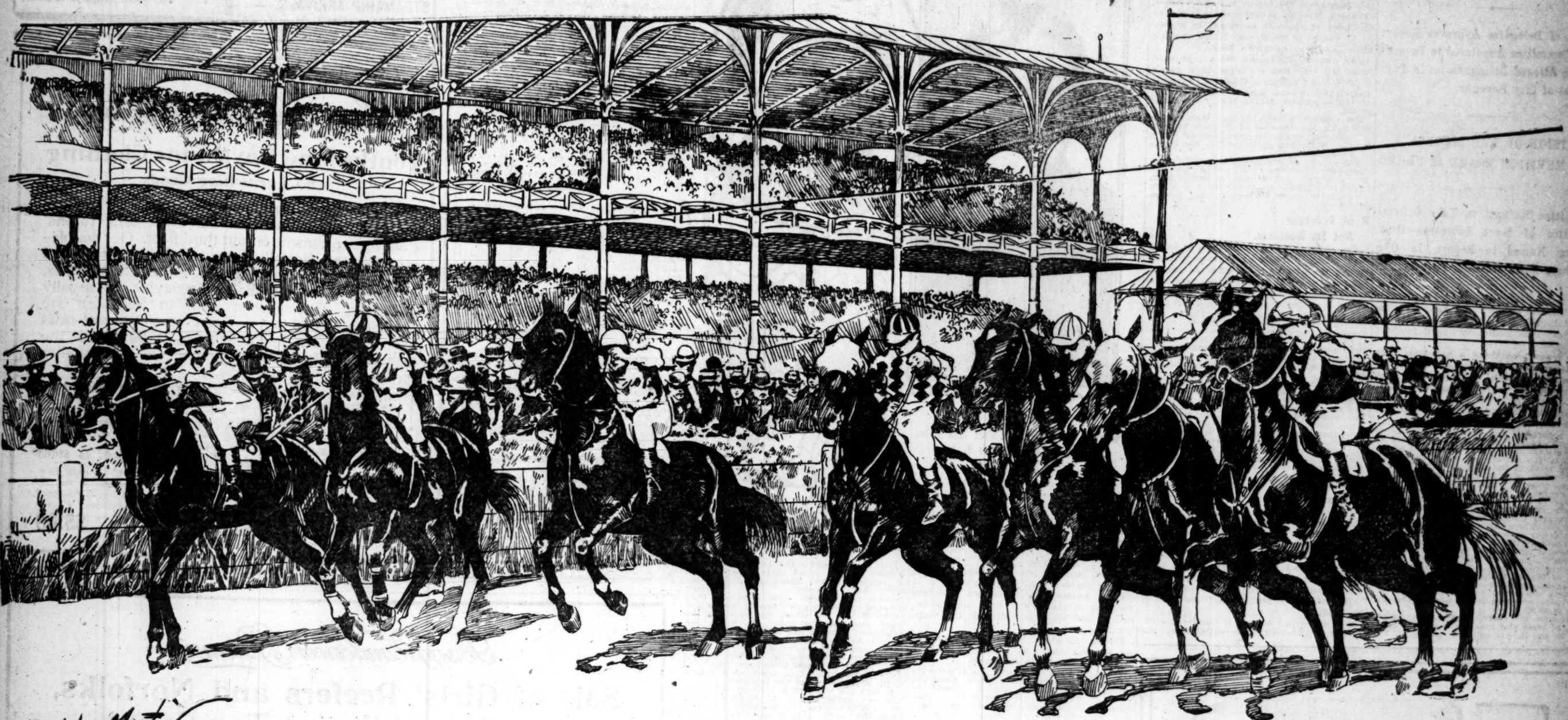


THEY'RE OFF! SPIRITED OPENING OF RACING SEASON AT TWO ST. LOUIS TRACKS

SMELTING PLANT
BURNING; LOSS
WILL BE LARGE

St. Louis Refining Works at Howard Station Fell Victim to Flames—Firemen Unable to Check Flames in One Portion.

The smelting works of the St. Louis Smelting and Refining Co., at Howard Station, caught fire at 2:15 this afternoon. Soon after the fire companies reached the factory a second alarm was turned in. It was thought that the smelting works could not be saved.

From the location of the adjoining buildings it was thought that no others were in great danger.

The works are on Manchester avenue, near Mackinac avenue.

The plant is a large one.

GRANT'S OFFICE ABOLISHED

Former General Superintendent and Three Clerks Leave the Transit Company.

At noon Friday the office of general superintendent of the Transit company, held by John Grant, was abolished and the duties of the office were assumed by the new general manager, Robert McCulloch. Three clerks went out with Mr. Grant. This action is in line with the exclusive prediction made in the Post-Dispatch several days ago that Mr. Grant would soon sever his connection with the company.

GUARDS TALKED TOO MUCH

Publishers of Official Guide Complained That They Gave Too Complete Information of Fair.

The Jefferson Guards have been notified not to talk so much. As the time approaches for the opening of the Fair, the military discipline is to be more rigidly enforced. The last effort at discipline came in a notice calling their attention to the general order reading:

"Guards will receive visitors with uniform courtesy and answer all questions as far as possible. No guard must allow himself to become engaged in extended conversation, and must not leave his post."

The complaint is that several of the guards have been interfering with the mission of the Official Guide Publishing Co. in giving to visitors the complete information of the Fair.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Forecast: Tomorrow—Cloudy with light rain, followed by fair Saturday; much colder; temperature below freezing Saturday morning; high northwest winds. Kentucky—Rain Friday night; Saturday, fair, cooler, with light to northwest winds. Tennessee—Partly cloudy Friday night; showers in last portion; cooler to west portion; Saturday, fair, cooler.

WOMAN CONFESSES
TO SHOPLIFTING

Attempt to Exchange Pair of Stolen Shoes Brings About Exposure—Had Maid Assistant.

LEADER STYLISHLY ATTIRED

Cecilia Grothe, the Maid, Attended Mrs. Anna Grossman and Carried Away Articles Handed Her.

A handsome and stylishly dressed woman, about 35 years of age, who gave her name as Mrs. Anna Grossman, and said she lived at 204 South Jefferson avenue, was arrested by Detective Schenk on the charge of shoplifting shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon and taken to the Four Courts.

After questioning her nearly an hour, Mrs. Grossman broke down and confessed that she had been guilty of taking things from several downtown stores, among them the Grand-Leader and Nugent's.

Weeping bitterly, the fair prisoner begged the officers not to expose her. Later the police arrested Cecilia Grothe, who is employed as a maid servant at the Grossman home.

It appears from her own statement that during the last two weeks Mrs. Grossman has been visiting various stores with the maid, who was handed different articles to carry away with her.

Friday noon Mrs. Grossman sent the maid to Slope's store to exchange a pair of shoes. Industry disclosed that the shoes had never been purchased there.

The clerk asked the girl who gave the shoes to her. Cecilia pointed to Mrs. Grossman, who was waiting for her across the street.

Word was at once sent to the Four Courts and Mrs. Grossman was placed under arrest. The incident attracted much attention.

"I have no idea," said Mrs. Grossman, tearfully, "what led me to take those things. I was employed at one time in a Chicago store and very often saw people carrying away articles of small cost. I never thought I was stealing. What I took amounted to very little in cash. But now I realize my offense."

The case was turned over to Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton.

Other stores which have reported the loss of goods recently will be notified.

FINED FOR "WHIZZING BY"

Transit Company Must Pay for Failure of Market Street Motor-men to Stop.

A fine of \$50 and costs was placed against the Transit company in the City Hall police court Friday morning for the failure of a motorman to stop a car at Broadway and Market street, April 13, when J. J. Mayer, an employee of the Southern Hotel, wished to become a passenger.

Market street cars passed him and the third had made no effort to stop until a woman fell to the street.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICANS

Platform Indorses Roosevelt and Stands for Policy of Protection.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Post-Dispatch will not give by telephone, baseball scores or race results. The 7 and 8 o'clock editions of the Post-Dispatch give accounts of the opening and progress of the ball games and races and the "Night Edition and Sporting Extra" gives complete scores of all games in both leagues and the winners of races at local and foreign tracks, together with entries for the following day.

BASEBALL DATES "AT HOME"

A neat, durable pocket folder, printed on very heavy cardboard and giving the complete home schedules of both the Browns and Cardinals, may be had free on application in the Post-Dispatch counting room.

TO DO ALL THINGS
SATURDAY BUT SNOW

Ugly, Squally Weather Is All Forecaster Can See—Temperature Down to About Freezing.

There is a possibility of a freeze Friday night, and Saturday is to be a very ugly day. The wind will be brisk and high and will come from the North, where it has been snowing and it was not until after the freeze that his sex was discovered.

Bigges canvassed from house to house selling a fake medicine which made well people sick and sick people worse. Complaints regarding the strange peddler were registered at the police station several days ago.

Officer Phillips Thursday captured the man in the act of disposing of his patent medicine. He was held up in true footpad style by two small boys and 30 cents taken from his pocket.

Sammy Longhouse, 14 years old, of 1113 North Ninth street, and Frank Skropeky, 12 years old, of 1120 North Thirteenth street, were arrested.

At the police station they were identified by Winterman. They admitted the theft, but were afterward released because Winterman's parents refused to prosecute them.

HIT BY A BROADWAY CAR

Driver of a Wagon and Two Passengers Injured at Walnut Street in the Collision.

Joseph Klott of 1424 South Third street, a driver for P. Heibel & Son of 1506 South Second street, suffered a broken collar-bone and other injuries, and two street car passengers were injured, in a collision between a northbound Broadway car and a one-horse wagon at Walnut and Broadway at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning.

The rear trucks of the car left the main track and swung out upon an intersecting track just as the car was passing Klott's wagon, and the wagon was wedged in against the curb.

Klott and the two injured passengers, both of whom were men, were taken to the city dispensary.

GOODMAN TO FIGHT HERRARIO

Promoter Haughton of the West End Club announced Friday morning that he had matched the famous and current Herrario to fight 30 rounds at the West End Club next Thursday night.

MAN IN SKIRTS
DECEIVED WOMEN

Mary Forsythe, Alias John Biggs, Sold Bad Medicine and Was Run Out of Town.

Disguised as a woman and giving the name of Mary Forsythe, John Biggs humbugged the residents of Pleasant Hill, a Belleville suburb, and it was not until after he had been arrested that his sex was discovered.

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YOUTHFUL HIGHWAYMEN

Two Boys Hold Up Twelve-Year-Old Abie Winterman and Secure Thirty Cents.

While Abie Winterman, 12 years old, of 807 Wash street, was playing at the corner of Ninth and Wash streets, Thursday afternoon, he was held up in true footpad style by two small boys and 30 cents taken from his pocket.

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STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

HAVRE, April 15.—Arrived: La Touraine, from New York.

ACQUEDUCT MEETING BEGINS

San Nicholas Wins First Race, With Shady Lad Second and Julia M. Third.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LARGE CROWD AT
FAIR GROUNDS TRACK

Society Outpouring, Formerly a Feature of Opening Day, Is Absent This Year.

NEW JOCKEYS REACH TRACK

Ward Politicians Besiege Bookmakers for Positions in the Betting Ring, and Get Them.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FAIR GROUND, ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 15.—The Kinloch Breeders' Association inaugurated its spring running meeting at the historic old Fair Grounds race course today.

The track was in excellent shape, and the weather was good, though cloudy.

The betting ring presented an animated appearance even before speculation commenced. An army of clerks were on hand at noon, seeking jobs from the bookmakers, but as only a limited number of layers "cut in" for Friday and Saturday, many were disappointed.

Politicians have begun to look upon these jobs as their special property, and a number of well-known ward bosses succeeded in securing \$10 per day berths from the obliging bookies.

Russell Baber, Billy Walsh, Mark Moore, J. K. Hughes, Charlie Cella, "Virginia" Carroll and Ed Freyer were among the first of the bookies in line.

Foley were among the arrivals. Mountain came from San Francisco. Foley's collar was broken at Hot Springs, and he rode today for the first time since the accident. Jockey Raynor will ride here for Harry Dyer.

The people were rather tardy about putting in an appearance. The inaugural handicap was the fourth race on the card and many came for this race alone.

It was a trifle chilly on the clubhouse verandas, and the usual society outpouring for inaugural day was hardly as strong as in former years, when the meeting invariably opened in May.

IN RIVER TO SAVE GIRL'S HAT.

Youth Outdies Sir Walter Raleigh's Outbreak of Gallantry.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—Sir Walter Raleigh's gallantry was outdone by Joseph Pinyard, 19 years, of Ridge avenue and Bridge street, who risked his life in the Schuylkill river to rescue a young woman's hat.

Pinyard, who distinguished himself a short time ago by rescuing a horse from the river, was walking along the Queen Drive in Fairmount Park near the Esplanade when the hat of a young woman was blown up the drive. It struck a beautiful piece of headgear that rested upon the head of a young woman in an automobile. The hat scudded along the ground and alighted on the surface of the river some distance from the shore.

Pinyard took to the situation at a glance and plunged into the river. He swam out a strap shaft supporting company of Woodbury, Tenn. fell from a passenger train on the Cotton Belt Railroad four miles east of here last night, and was almost instantly killed.

He wore an Odd Fellows pin, and that card carried for his remains last night. The body was recovered from the wreckage of the train and was being taken to the morgue.

KINLOCH PARK.

(Fair Grounds Track.)

First race, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

1805—Pernilla 104
1806—Lillanette 90
782—Frank Rice 104
1807—Gladys 104
1808—Maggie S. 90
1809—Dr. Jodary 104
1810—Clifford Boy 104
1811—Hickory Corners 104
1812—Fetip 85
1813—Swing 104
1814—Wigwam 104
1815—Kinloch Park 104
1816—George Vivian 104
1817—Clifford 94
622—Carley's Dream 104

Second race, four furlongs, maiden 2-year-olds and up, selling, allowances:

2004—Sonya 107
2005—Lefage 107
2006—Maura 107
2007—Fergus 107
1867—Roundup Ship 107
1868—Maura 107
2041—Chancy 107
1869—Georgia Carter 107
1819—The Doctor 107

Third race, one mile and seventy yards, 3-year-olds and up, selling, allowances:

1820—The Regent 107
2008—Calhoun 107
2040—Arnold K. 107
6—Piquant 110
1869—Van 107
2072—South Breeze 106

Fourth race, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, allowances:

2047—Scotch 118
1920—Decorate 98
6—Claremont 100
6—Opelotte 114
1920—Sylvia Talbot 106
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Fifth race, one mile and an eighth, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

1948—Mile Run 96
1949—Potente 106
1950—The Bobby 106
1951—Jerry Hunt 110
1952—Larry Will 110
1953—Sylvia Talbot 106
1954—Sylvia Talbot 106
1955—Sylvia Talbot 106
1956—Sylvia Talbot 106
1957—Sylvia Talbot 106
1958—Sylvia Talbot 106

Sixth race, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling:

1974—Nearest 102
1975—Nearest 102
1976—Nearest 102
1977—Nearest 102
1978—Nearest 102
1979—Nearest 102
1980—Nearest 102
1981—Nearest 102
1982—Nearest 102
1983—Nearest 102
1984—Nearest 102

Union Jockey Club.

First race, half mile, for 2-year-olds:

Pinkie B 98
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Second race, three-fourths mile:

One Merit 100
Second Sight 100
J. G. Starbrough 100
Third race, one and one-eighth miles:

Varner 107
El Rey 107
Edna Diller 107
Broadway 107
Fourth race, Louisiana Purchase handicap, six furlongs:

Pat Bolger 114
Poor Boy 114
Fronta 114

CRUSHES JAILER'S
SKULL; MAKES
HIS ESCAPE

Prisoner Hits His Aged Custodian at Venice Fourteen Times With Hammer and Then Locks Him in Cell.

OFFICERS SCOURING COUNTRY

FOR JEDD HAYNES, FORGER

Makes Attack When His Door Is Opened That He May Go Out to Breakfast—Offers Liberty to Two Negroes, Who Spread News of His Escape.

Judd B. Haynes, a book agent, made a sensational escape from the city jail in Venice early Friday morning, after almost murdering the aged jailer by repeatedly striking him on the head with a hammer. The police of the tri-cities are searching for him.

Haynes was arrested Thursday afternoon at Madison for forging the name of Charles Schmitz for \$18. He was taken to Venice and locked up.

Friday morning at 6 o'clock Jailer Seibert unlocked the door of Haynes' cell to give him his breakfast.

Haynes grappled with Seibert, who is an old man, and struck him on the head with a hammer 14 times. Throwing the body of the old man inside the cell he took the jail keys and locked the door.

In the adjoining cell were two negroes. Haynes unlocked their door and told them to go. They refused and he locked them in again.

He then unlocked the outside jail door and escaped.

When Chief of Police Bennett went to the jail at 6:30 o'clock he found Jailer Seibert lying insensible in Haynes' cell, his head in a pool of blood. The negroes told him what had happened and he summoned assistance.

An examination of Jailer Seibert showed that his skull was fractured in two places and that he cannot live.

Haynes is described as 40 years old, but looks not more than 25; height, 5 feet 10 inches; weight, 165 pounds; dark brown eyes, black straight hair, high cheek bones, smooth shaven, coarse features, upper teeth false, two broken.

HANGED FOR WOMAN'S MURDER

Boy Bandits Will Follow Pesant on Chicago Scaffold.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Lewis Pesant, one of the eight murderers who are in jail here under sentence of death, was hanged today.

Next Friday is the day that has been set for the hanging of Nidermeier, Van Dine and Marx, the car burn bandits, and, shortly following four more men will meet a similar fate on the same scaffold.

Pesant's crime was the murder of Mrs. Mary Sullivan during a robbery. He entered the woman's home while she was alone and struck her on the head with a club. Then he carried her into the garage, where he killed and pushed her to death and secured the money from her. She had been married in 1902.

RESUMPTION OF TAX INQUIRY IS RECOMMENDED

House of Delegates Approves Report of Committee Appointed to Investigate Alleged Delinquencies in Payment of City Revenue.

ABOLITION OF THE LICENSE REVISION BOARD IS URGED

Committee Refused to Take Official Notice of Rent Increases—Only Firm Named in Report Is One Whose Head Resisted Inquiry.

At a special session of the House of Delegates Friday morning the report of the special committee appointed last October to investigate tax delinquencies was received and adopted.

The report contained a provision that the House reappoint a similar committee at the next session. It is probable that this committee will be appointed next week.

There was no opposition to the report, and it was not discussed.

The report did not mention the name of any firm except that of the J. H. Conrades Furniture Co., and it was mentioned as the one firm the officers of which absolutely refused to show the committee its books.

The report presented a series of figures deduced from the examination of the books of 15 concerns. It grouped its findings as follows:

"Your committee made an exhaustive inquiry into the actual sales of fifteen (15) concerns. These amounted to \$46,244,150.90. The amount on which license tax was collected was \$55,732.31. In four (4) cases only did actual sales agree with the amount on which license tax was collected.

"In eight (8) cases, completed examinations of taxes paid to the license collector on merchandise, raw materials and finished products amounted to \$4,641,785. The actual value of these items was ascertained to be \$6,088,355.

"In nine (9) cases completed examinations of tools and machinery showed taxes paid to the license collector on \$22,245. The actual value on same was ascertained to be \$79,094.

"In nine (9) cases taxes were paid on other personal property assessed at \$4,960.00. The actual value of this personal property was \$2,816.00.

"In one case did we find 'money on hand' returned to the assessor for taxation. This amount was \$100. The actual cash on hand at date of assessment owned by twelve (12) concerns was ascertained to be \$2,111. These were the only concerns from whom we were able to obtain information on this part of the assessment.

Wide Variance Between Books.
The most striking thing, probably, in this portion of the report is a discrepancy of about \$4,500,000 between the amount of the sales of these 15 concerns, as shown by the books of the license commissioner's office, and by their own books.

The committee's report did not mention what the city lost in taxes as a result of this, but Chairman Wiedmer, Delegate McCarthy and other members and attaches of the committee stated that it is about \$89,000.

The committee explains that it based its report on the showing of 15 firms because it had only examined that number thoroughly. It looked partially into the books of about 20 others.

The report recommends the abolition of the board of license revision, "for the reason that the limited time in which such board may legally act is too short in which to properly supervise and correct license returns."

Not Its Business.
The report says the committee's attention was called to the great advance in rents during the past year, showing the greatly enhanced value of St. Louis real estate. In many cases, it says, these rent advances equal or exceed 50 per cent and it has been suggested that the committee should recommend corresponding advances in the assessment of real estate by the board of assessors. To such suggestions the committee replied that such investigation and recommendations are not within the scope of the resolution whereby the committee was created.

In another part of the report the committee says that while the tax rate for others has been raised in recent years the tax rate on merchants and manufacturers has remained at 20 cents per \$100 ever since 1879 and that no part of the city's increased taxation has been borne by the merchants and manufacturers. The rate for others this year is \$1.47 per \$100, the committee holds out.

Saloon Pay Heaviest Tax.
The report includes a table showing that the saloonkeepers pay more than twice as much taxes as the merchants and manufacturers of St. Louis, and that the banks and trust companies also pay more than the merchants and manufacturers. The table shows that for 1934 the merchants and manufacturers pay \$531,667, the banks and trust companies \$581,428 and the saloons \$1,255,531.

The committee says it encountered difficulties in pursuing its investigations, but

secured access to books in all cases except one, that of the Conrades Chair Co. The report says the investigation was not completed because of the committee's desire to extend every courtesy to firms being investigated. It adds:

"The result of this partial investigation indicates the reasons for the obstructive tactics employed by many persons in delay and hinder the committee in its labors. In recommending that the investigation be continued the committee has no other alternative."

"We are sure that the city's revenue will thereby be greatly increased even if no change be made in existing laws or ordinances."

The committee has been meeting twice a week since its appointment, Oct. 24. It was appointed on the adoption of a resolution by Mr. Teschemacher, which read that "the city is being systematically robbed of its just taxes."

The committee consists of Delegates Wiedmer (chairman), McCarthy, Fontana, O'Neill and Withholt.

It employed William J. Gavigan as clerk at \$200 per month and P. T. Barrett as attorney at \$250 a month. It also employed William F. Ryan as attorney at the same figure.

HOUSE PASSES STREET BILLS AT MORNING SESSION.
Improvement bills were passed by the House Friday for King's highway to Grand avenue, bituminous macadam, Ohio avenue, from Shenandoah avenue to Geyer avenue, and Marion street, from Broadway to Kosciuszko street.

Speaker pro tem, McCarthy and Delegates Birge and Wiedmer were appointed a committee to notify Mayor Wells of the final adjournment of the session Friday night.

PROFIT BEFORE IMPROVEMENT
Transit Company Policy Announced by Manager McCulloch to Friends at Banquet.

Only by leaving St. Louis for five years did Capt. Robert McCulloch learn to appreciate this city, as he told his friends Thursday night at a formal welcome tendered him at the Mercantile Club. The banquet was presided over by R. H. Kern, and toasts were given by L. F. Ottowy, W. H. Gillespie and A. C. Stewart.

In response, the guest of honor said he had lived 30 years here and that St. Louis was good enough for the rest of his life. "I have been told," said the captain, "that if I improve the street car service here I shall have to make the money first. And I propose to show you all the improvements possible."

Catarrh Invites Consumption
It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs and breaks down the general health.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

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TWO SAILORS GAVE UP LIFE TO SAVE SHIP

Seaman Knight Groped Through
Stifling Smoke and Pitchy Dark-
ness to Missouri's Magazine and
Closed Doors, Excluding Fire.

DELIRIUM AND THEN DEATH FOLLOWED THE AWFUL STRAIN

Seaman Bougart Leaped Overboard
With Powder to Prevent Explosion
and Was Seen No More—Gunner's
Mate Monson—Another Hero.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
PENSACOLA, Fla. April 15.—E. E. Knight, the able seaman whose heroic action, with that of Gunner's Mate Monson, saved the fine ship Missouri from annihilation, is dead.

The unselfish conduct of these two men will make a chapter in naval history to further glorify the record of the men behind the guns.

The death list from the explosion on board the battleship now foots up 33 officers and enlisted men. Two others are certain to die within a few hours.

The boatswain's mate who was instantly killed and whose name was given in dispatches as J. K. Peterson, was George C. Peterson, formerly of St. Louis.

W. Bougart, an ordinary seaman, whose heroism is thought to have almost equalled that of Knight, is undoubtedly dead, drowned in an extraordinary effort to save the ship. The death listman reported under the name of H. S. Cherbarras was Herbert Schelbarth.

Seaman Knight saved his ship, but the fiery ordeal through which he passed first drove him to insanity and then cost him his life.

Knight was working in the handling room when the explosion took place. He was quickly surrounded by the flames and realized that in another half-minute the magazine would be reached. This would mean the destruction of his ship and his fellows.

There was no one to order Knight. He was for the moment his own superior officer. He dashed for the open doors of the magazines, fired all about him and the air black with powder smoke. He knew that many of his associates had met death and it is doubtful if he believed that he would ever reach the deck after performing what he thought to be his duty.

REPORTED, THEN WENT MAD.

Knight made his way to the doors, found them and closed them, then groped his way to the companion way, crawling up to the deck. There he was able to tell the offi-

HOFFMAN ASSAILAN MORE A FALSE FACE

Father of Girl on Whom Young Man
Was Calling When Shot Offers
Reward for Capture.

John Senel of Ivy Landing, Ill., at whose home Hugo Hoffman was shot Thursday night of last week, has offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the would-be assassin. The reward has attracted several men to the community, who are presumably detectives.

Hoffman has improved rapidly during the last few days under the careful nursing of Miss Laura Senel, whose guest he was when the shot was fired under the window. Hoffman says he distinctly saw his assailant, who wore a false face. He also says the man lowered his revolver to fire a second time, when Hoffman jumped toward the window.

ceers that he had closed the magazine and that the ship was saved, after which he gave way to a mad frenzy.

When the officers and men realized what a noble sacrifice Knight had made for them and for his ship, many arms were placed about him, and he was actually kissed by some of the men.

Knight's frenzy was at last subdued, whereupon he became unconscious. By careful treatment in the hospital he was roused from his lethargy and he regained his senses so as to be able to tell of much that had happened in the fiery hole, but the shock had been too great and he had inhaled so much smoke that his life could not be saved. He lapsed again into unconsciousness last evening and died.

Gunner's Mate Monson was working with Knight in the handling room. There were four charges of powder piled up against the open doors of the magazine when the explosion occurred above. Monson began moving the powder back into the magazine and was engaged in this work when Knight closed the doors of the magazine.

Monson went inside with one of the charges, threw it down and then helped pull the doors shut, thereby assisting in his own imprisonment, as he was shut in the magazine.

IN WATER TO HIS NECK.

The magazine was totally flooded with water, and when the doors were opened Monson was found standing in his chin in water and barely alive.

There is some doubt as to the correct name of the seaman known in the list as W. Bougart, but whoever he may prove to be he has been awarded a hero's place by Rear Admiral Barker in his official report.

While Knight undoubtedly saved the ship it is quite as certain that the vessel was threatened from more than one source, and that only for the action of Bougart, Knight might not have been able to reach the magazine doors in time.

Bougart was near a part of a charge of powder nearest the gangway when the charge in the gun exploded and threw flames and burning wadding out into the turret. Without a moment's hesitation, the seaman picked up in his arms the charge of powder and jumped overboard into the gulf. He was carried under the water by his burden and was never again seen.

The fire was still at its height in the turret of death, Capt. Cowles made the turret charge had left within a few minutes. He reappeared in a few minutes, bearing an ordinary seaman in his arms. The man could not have lived another minute in the turret and was brought to the deck just in time for the surgeons to save his life. He will live.

The officers of the Missouri unite in enthusiastic praise of their commander, who, they say, unhesitatingly led to the rescue of the men in peril within the turret and handling room.

AMAZING REVELATIONS.

The court of inquiry today began its investigation into the cause of the disaster. It is predicted in some quarters that its report will be of a startling nature, one that will show that there has been developed in the navy a condition that jeopardizes the lives of many men when ever a ship is in target practice.

Naval officers here were today open in their condemnation of those said to be responsible for the accident. It is declared that there has been great recklessness and carelessness on board the various ships, merely that there might be made a world's record for rapid firing, and that the acts on the Missouri prior to the explosion are perfectly plain.

Gunnery says they were expressly prodded to make the fastest possible time in firing, and that to do so it was necessary to have five charges of powder, each weighing 450 pounds, placed within a few feet of the breech of the great guns during practice.

If one of these charges became ignited the others were absolutely certain to explode, and this is what is said to have happened on the Missouri.

HASTE CAUSED ACCIDENT.

There is little question here as to the manner of the accident. The men were loading the gun for the third shot. The second charge had left within a few minutes, and the third charge was being inserted there was an explosion.

The flame was communicated to the powder lying nearby, destined for succeeding shots. Thence it was communicated to the handling room, and only for the action of Knight, the magazine would have been ignited and the vessel, with all on board, would have been blown to pieces.

So great was the fear for the moment that the magazine would go that orders were given to back the vessel, and she was headed for shoal water, nine miles away.

It is now discovered that an accident threatening a disaster similar to that on the Missouri happened a few days ago on the battleship Alabama, while engaged in experimental practice.

The ship had fired one of the huge guns and another charge was about to be inserted and rammed home when there was an outpour of the "back-draft" of flame that had been blown back by the wind into the gun, which enveloped a sailor, burning him so badly that he is in the hospital.

This episode was kept very quiet and was known to only a few.

SHIP HEAVILY DAMAGED.

The damage to the battleship is much greater than was stated at first. In addition to the large amount of ammunition ruined by the magazine being flooded, which will amount to thousands of dollars, the after turret is badly injured, the turret being burned away and the brass work melted inside. The hoist in the turret is completely ruined. The estimated damage caused by the explosion will reach \$300,000.

The Missouri will not conclude her target practice but will go to New York to be locked as soon as the court of inquiry makes its findings.

A detachment of the Boer army, with officers and their wives, will accompany the excursion of the United Irish League on the steamer Corwin H. Spencer Sunday, April 17.

Fair Will Buy Much Water.

Francis Schawitz, assessor and collector of water rates, says the World's Fair will not cost the city \$200,000 to \$300,000 for water, but that reductions during the fiscal year will be given through the installation of the flat rate system, cost the city \$25,000 in revenue. The collections for the fiscal year were \$100,000.

Park Hotel, Hot Springs, Ark., American and European plans open until May 15.

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SIXTY-FIVE YEARS ON STAGE WITHOUT ATTACK OF STAGE FRIGHT

Seventy-Fifth Birthday of Oldest Woman but One in Profession Is Observed by Fellow Players.

In the window of a book shop on South Broadway is a play bill dated April 2, 1850, which announces the fact that "The Lady of Lyons" will be performed on that night, with Mrs. W. G. Jones as Claude Melnotte, it being "her first appearance here."

Fifty-four years later, lacking two days, we have this same Mrs. Jones with us, just across the street, as Juana, the grandmother of Poppy in "The Pretty Sister of Jose," now being played by Miss Adams. Today Mrs. Jones celebrates her 75th birthday. She does not like the word "celebrate," but the day will take that character nevertheless, for there are packages waiting for her at the box office of the Olympic Theater which prove that her desire to have the day go by with as little notice as possible will not be heeded by her friends.

Thursday was a day of particular moment to Mrs. Jones, for she saw a part of "The Heart of Maryland," in which she has a niece whom she never saw on the stage before.

During Mrs. Jones' long career on the stage she has played many different parts, from children to old women, and even boys' and men's parts, including Romeo.

She says she has never suffered from stage fright.

Her first appearance, when she was 8 years old, was as the Duke of York in "Richard III" with Junius Brutus Booth at the Walnut Street Theater in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Jones has played opposite the brightest stars of the last half century, among them Wallack, Davenport and the Booths, father and son.

In 1851 she was in stock here in St. Louis for a year and a half at the Lyndell & Smith street theater. It was the custom at the time to divide the year between St. Louis and New Orleans.

Mrs. Jones' second husband was Benjamin John Dean, leader of the orchestra at the Bowery Theater, where she played for fifteen years.

Mr. Dean was engaged as tenor in the Trinity Church choir, accepting the place on the understanding that he would lead a theater orchestra. The agreement was satisfactory, and Mrs. Jones tells with some pride that for eight years after, on the birthday of the rector of the church, the rector would take as his guests his Sunday-school class of young men to see the current performance at the Bowery Theater.

Mrs. Jones says she has played in as many as 25 pieces in one week and in three different parts in one night.

Times are almost as busy with her now, for while playing Juana at night she is rehearsing the part of Nanny Webster in the "Little Minister," which play Miss Adams will resume week after next for her tour to the coast.



ARNOLD INVESTORS NOT CONSPIRATORS

Judge Adams Decides That Get-Rich-Quick Concern's Creditors Were Victims.

NO CLAIM TO BE PREFERRED

Printing Company's Bill, Given Precedence by Referee, Must Be Treated Like the Rest.

Judge Adams, in the United States District Court Friday morning, disapproved and reversed the decision of the referee in bankruptcy in expunging the claim of A. E. Williams, an investor in the E. J. Arnold & Co. "get-rich-quick" turf company, and allowed the claim.

In thus deciding the court upset the allegation of the Gottschalk Printing Co., which has a claim for printing work done for Arnold, that its claim, being for actual work done in the regular course of a legitimate business, was to be preferred to the claim of men who had "invested" in the "get-rich-quick" scheme for gambling purposes. The Gottschalk company contended that Williams and other investors were gamblers with Arnold, and had no standing in court. The referee sustained this argument, and expunged the claim of Williams, which amount to \$300.

In reviewing the case Judge Adams holds that investors in the Arnold company were rather victims, deluded by specious promises and alluring statements, than conspirators with Arnold in a gambling scheme. He holds that the Arnold company was the real conspirator, and that the men who were victimized by it have as valid a claim upon the \$100,000 saved from wreck and now in the hands of the referee in bankruptcy as have other claimants.

"The Gottschalk company must stand in the shoes of the bankrupts," he declares. "Its claim cannot rise higher." Referee Walter D. Cox said in regard to the decision, that Williams' claim would take up the balance of the \$100,000, leaving some \$200,000, and he would receive his pro rata of the \$200,000 or \$70,000 now in the hands of the referee.

IF MEAT IS A PROVISION—

Butchers Allege It Is and Therefore They Can Keep Shops Open All Day Sunday.

Can meats be classed as provisions? This question will be urged at length in the City Hall Police Court next Tuesday, the case against a number of St. Louis butchers charged with violating the Sunday closing ordinance hanging on the decision. The butchers are: H. Timmerberg, Jefferson and Market streets; A. Walz, 110 North Jefferson; and Sunday, 120 North Fifteenth street; Nise & Trowbridge, 227 Market street; S. J. Smith, 1501 Clark avenue.

The city ordinance regard the sale of meats on Sunday, provides that butchers may keep open till 9 o'clock in the morning, but no longer.

It was admitted that the defendants had kept their shops open after 9 o'clock, but it was argued that the city ordinance is unconstitutional, and on Sunday "shall not prevent the sale of any drugs, medicine, provisions or other articles of immediate necessity."

FEAR CAUSED HIS DETECTION.

Nicholas Miller's inexperience in loading a truck in a grocery store caused his detection and capture in the act of burglarizing the grocery warehouse of B. Joseph Heitkamp at 207 South Fourth street Friday morning.

Miller was safely hid from the policemen, who, with Mr. Heitkamp, searched the building for him, but when Mr. Heitkamp noticed the burglarizing manner in which a heavy truck had been loaded with flour and other goods, he told the policemen that a stranger had done the job.

The policemen knapped the truck tongue and commenced to pull it to an open part of the store. It pulled hard and Miller yelled for them to stop before they ran the truck over him.

The warehouse has been burglarized twice within ten days, and Friday morning, when policemen Mulcahy and Seiverson saw the transom broken, they hurried after Mr. Heitkamp at his residence at Seventh and Gratiot streets, and he accompanied them in the search.

The plunder piled by the door was first found, and then came the search for the burglar. Once over the store brought no success, but on the second trip Mr. Miller called attention to the truck, and Miller was found under it. He surrendered willingly to save being run over.

Miller admits one of the previous burglaries. He is 20 years old, single, and says he lives at 117 Spruce street.

Wants Position of Hostess. Mrs. Madeline Menough of St. Louis has filed application for the position of matron of the Missouri building at the World's Fair, being the only St. Louis woman to seek the place. Mrs. Menough has done much newspaper work in St. Louis and has many acquaintances.

For a Postoffice Robbery. Herbert L. Marx, according to a telegram received by the postoffice inspector's department, was Friday placed in jail at Jefferson City, in default of \$500 bail, on charge of robbing the postoffice at Centertown, in Monticello County, of \$150 on April 12. It is stated that Marx confessed to the robbery.

MOTHER-IN-LAW PREVENTS REUNION

Man Says, Wife of Three Months Wishes to Return to Him, but Can't.

John Miller, a hotel keeper, applied in the St. Louis circuit court Friday morning for a writ of habeas corpus to restore to him his wife and her 7-year-old daughter, Viola, who are said in the petition to be illegally restrained by the petitioner's mother-in-law, Mrs. Annie Knelper, at 3007 North Broadway. Miller says he was married three months

ago, and that a week ago he and his wife quarreled and she went to her mother, taking with her the little girl, his step-daughter; that he and his wife now desire to be reunited, but that his mother-in-law prevents such reunion by restraining the wife and daughter against their consent and his.

Judge Sale will act upon the petition Friday afternoon.

MUSIC TEACHER FALLS DEAD.

Miss Elizabeth Fontana Was Victim of Heart Trouble. Miss Elizabeth Fontana, aged 23, a music teacher, dropped dead at 10 o'clock Thursday night at the home of her brother-in-law, John McGlynn, custodian of the Washington University building.

Miss Fontana had made her home with her brother-in-law for several years. She was known to have been affected with heart trouble. She had two sisters living at Washington, Mo., one sister in Leavenworth, Kan., and two in St. Louis.

SENATOR STEWART TO RETIRE

Santa Claus of Upper Chamber Says It's Health, Others Say Nevada Voters Wish It.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, April 15.—Senator William M. Stewart announced today that he will retire from the Senate when his present term expires, March 12, 1935.

The venerable Nevada senator, who, with his long, white beard, is often likened to Santa Claus, is inviting congratulations on all sides over his prospect of release from public service in less than a year.

He says he is going to retire to his farm in Nevada, where he has a fine estate of 1500 acres and a large dairy, and enjoy himself as long as he can.

Not quite a year ago Senator Stewart surprised his colleagues by going secretly to Atlanta and taking a bride much younger than himself.

The motion for his decision to retire from

the Senate is variously described. The senator himself attributes it to failing health, but the friends of his colleague, Mr. Nevada, assert that it has been so long since Mr. Stewart has been closely in touch with the 600 or 800 voters in Nevada that he has outgrown his hold on them, and that a Democrat is likely to succeed him. Who this successor will be has not been announced.

Day in Jail for Deweys. TOPEKA, Kan., April 13.—C. P. Dewey and Chalmers Dewey have pleaded guilty in the United States District Court to the fencing of government lands in Rawlins and contiguous counties. They were each fined \$150 and court costs and a sentence of one day in the Shawnee county jail. The troubles arising over the fencing of these lands had much to do with bringing about the Berry feud and killing.

Negro Murderer Electrocut. COLUMBUS, O., April 15.—John Bennett, a negro, aged 25 years, was electrocuted at the state penitentiary at 22:45 this morning for the murder of his wife at Charleston, O., last December.

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- \$22.50 and \$25.00 Suits—Single or double-breasted—hand-tailored, silk and serge lined—broad shoulders—bright or quiet patterns in Fancy Cheviots, finished or unfinished Worsteds, Serges and Cassimeres—blues and blacks included—Reduced to..... **\$16.50**
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- Light and dark grays, tans and browns in covers and chevrons; coats well tailored; made with serge lining and satin sleeve lining—Reduced price..... **\$8.75**
- \$18 AND \$20 COATS NOW \$14
- Top Coats, or the Spring Overcoat, silk or serge lined, hand-tailored, close fitting, collar, the broad shoulders; the very strong line—Reduced price..... **\$14.00**
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- All styles, shades and patterns at this price—tony suits for young men looking for style—the collars are all hand-tailored, hand-sewed but—no holes—blues and blacks included—Reduced price..... **\$11.50**
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- \$7.50 and \$8.00—Reduced Price..... **\$5.75**
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- Light and dark shades—fancy worsteds and chevrons—peg top of plain.
- \$5.00 and \$6.00—Reduced Price..... **\$3.75**
- Neat effects in finished and unfinished worsteds—new designs in chevrons—peg top or plain.
- \$4.00 and \$4.50—Reduced Price..... **\$2.85**
- Stripes and checks, in light and dark worsteds and chevrons, with or without belt straps.
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MISSIONARY'S MINE BELONGS TO CHURCH

Claim Staked While He Was Doing
Field Work, Held Not His
Property.

CHICAGO, April 15.—By the decision of the board of arbitration in the matter of title and proceeds of the placer mine No. 2, above "Anvil Creek," Cape Nome, Alaska, N. O. Hultberg, assignee for the Swedish Evangelical Mission Covenant of America, recovers from the White Star Mining Co. of Illinois; Dr. Claes W. Johnson and Peter H. Anderson the mining claim in dispute and proceeds to the amount of \$323,684.

The arbitrators were Hiram T. Gilbert and A. M. Pence of Chicago, and David F. Lane of Berkeley, Cal. The award is signed by Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Lane, Mr. Pence dissenting from their opinion.

Peter H. Anderson, formerly a missionary from the Covenant at Chitkok, Alaska, is directed to pay over immediately to Mr. Hultberg the sum of \$323,684, and the White Star Mining Co. of Illinois and Dr. Johnson are directed to surrender to Mr. Hultberg the "No. 2" mines and the additional sum of \$25,000, the net value of the output of the mine in 1903, after it was transferred to the White Star Mining Co. Minor awards of \$600, \$1,250 and \$3,750 were made.

The unusual arbitration case grew out of Alaskan gold mines staked by Covenant missionaries in 1898. Mr. Hultberg staked the first claim for his society, and when he returned to the states Mr. Anderson and others continued the work. They decided, however, that the mines were their property, not the mission society's. Not wishing to have the church acquire title to the claim in question, private arbitration was decided on, the hearings beginning in secret on Feb. 20.

Two of the disputed claims were at one time held by Bokimos, and this necessitated the presence in Chicago of Gabriel and Constantine Upradnick, natives of Alaska. A number of other witnesses were brought to Chicago from Alaska.

The ownership of mine No. 9 was the only one passed upon by the arbitrators. The opinion by Arbitrators Gilbert and Lane recites that "Anderson himself did not himself, directly or indirectly, make any contribution, either by way of money or labor, toward the acquisition of title to the claim in question. He never saw it until some time after it had been vested in him. Counsel for Hultberg included N. Soderberg, a former judge of the Superior Court of Alaska, and H. F. Williams, "Chicago. The defense was represented by Judge Chytrus.

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George Washington was one of the first Americans to advertise Real Estate in an American newspaper. He didn't make many mistakes, did he? Sell your real estate through Post-Dispatch Wants—over two million readers.

BAN ON OPERA BY CHOIRS.
Episcopal Bishop of Chicago Wants Practice Stopped.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Dr. James S. Stone, rector of St. James' Episcopal Church, has put a stop to the church choir's custom of giving operas, light or otherwise. "Religion and the theater do not mix well in the way the church choir has been trying to mix them," declared the rector. He did not have any objection to the members of the choir appearing in operas as individuals. I am, however, opposed to operas being given in connection with the church. Rev. Stone believes that the influence of an opera is not good for the choir boys. It is understood that Bishop McLaughlin has informed the rector of Episcopal churches generally that he will be better pleased if they will stop giving operas.

Take Down the Sign.

Don't put a "Boarders Wanted" sign on your door. Police who board don't want front-door publicity. Advertise in Post-Dispatch Wants—over two million readers.

DEAD CALLED HIM TO DEATH.
Aged Man's Heart Broken by Son-in-Law's Murder.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The tragic end of Patrolman Hugh J. Enright, who was shot in a battle with a burglar recently has caused the death of his father-in-law, John J. Moran, 70 years old. From the hour when Enright fell before the burglar's pistol, the old man had grieved constantly. Just as he was about to take the two little grandchildren for a walk, he cried to his daughter: "Hugh is calling me; I am going to meet him," and fell dead. The doctors say his heart was broken.

An extraordinary tribute to the bravery of Enright has been the raising of a benefit fund for his family, amounting to \$15,000. It has been placed in trust.

Death Follows Operation.

An operation for peritonitis performed on Henry C. Carr, credit man for the Simmons Hardware Co., proved futile, and his death occurred Thursday afternoon at his home in Ferguson. He was 56 years old, had been with the firm since 1870, and was 30 years, and leaves a wife and three children.

Acquitted of Murder Charge.

William Williams, charged with the murder of "Mike" Church, his former employer, at Twenty-third and Chestnut streets, has been acquitted by the jury. Williams claimed that he was wounded accidentally while they were scuffling over the possession of a revolver.

Homeopathic Degrees Granted.

The graduates of the Homeopathic College of Missouri, the commencement exercises of which were held Thursday night in Pickwick Theater, are: H. L. Baker, of Wisconsin; H. G. Bruckbauer, of Wisconsin; Mrs. Julia Meyer, R. H. Lillman, Julius von Rotbeck, Edward Schulz, E. F. Tate, F. C. Thorburn of Missouri, G. R. Hill of Iowa, G. E. Reimann of Oklahoma Territory. Degrees were conferred by Dr. James A. Campbell and class honors and prizes were awarded by Dr. William Young. An address in behalf of the faculty was made by Rev. J. W. Ashwood.

Lecture on Liquid Light.

Dr. A. Siebert, the discoverer of the never exhausting source of light in plants, will deliver a lecture on his discovery at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Grand and Franklin avenues, Friday evening. His subject will be "Liquid Light (Rays)."

Ladies, try an oyster lunch while shopping. Milford's, 207 and 209 North Sixth st.

World-Wide Alumnae Gathering.

Invitations are being sent all over the world to members of the Visitation Convent Alumnae Association for a reunion Sept. 29 and 30 and Oct. 1. The celebration will begin with solemn high mass and will be followed by receptions, luncheon and programs. Several convent graduates are now members of European nobility.

C. B. C. to Hold Handicap.

The Paulin Athletic Club of the Christian Brothers' College will hold an open handicap athletic meet on the college campus Sunday, June 5. Several track athletes of the country are expected to participate in this meet, as the men who participate in the junior and senior championships at the Fair on June 2 and 3 will stay over.

Joins the Pirates.

"Bobbie" Lowe, the former Chicago and Boston player, has joined the Pittsburgh Pirates. He signed a contract last night and will be used as a utility infielder.

"Gately's Good Goods"



When I was but a little lad
The merchants used to say—
"No trust, no bust," for in those days
"Spot Cash" held kingly sway.
But Gately since has taught the town
An easy payment plan;
"If I don't trust I ought to bust,"
Says, Gately, the "good goods" man.

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EVERY man wants to dress the best he means afford. Clothes may not make the man, but, as Geo. Horace Lorimer aptly says in The Letters from a Self-Made Merchant to His Son, "they make everything of him that is seen during business hours, with the exception of his face and hands." If this store offers you better suits for the same money, or the same suits for less money than any other, then this store should be your clothier. No matter from what standpoint you make comparison—style, make, material, fit or finish—it is to your best interest to buy your clothing at Gately's.

The natty dressers will take to the short box topcoats of covert cloth, in the new plain and fancy mixtures. No matter what your choice falls upon, you're bound to get \$12.00 and \$15.00 garments for only \$9.95.

Our range of suits under this price covers the entire field of fashion. Whether it's a 3 or 4 button single-breasted or a 2-button double-breasted you want, you can find no fault with these. Choice from fancy mixed chevrons, fancy worsteds, black tibets, rough blue chevrons, heavy weight blue serge, etc., and the price is only—

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How many churchgoers realize the strain under which their pastor labors? How many appreciate the fatigue that follows his Sunday work? The nerve-racking, brain-wearing duties that endure from week's end to week's end, from the beginning of the year to the close, and from one year to another? But this cannot go on forever. Sooner or later a minister so pressed feels his energies waning. After a while there is a break-down—a physical and mental collapse. If he could only get out into the country for a month or two of absolute rest, but—why suggest such an impossible thing! We know that no minister can spare the time for this. Neither can any other business or professional man. The next best thing is to replenish the waning vitality by artificial means—to help Nature in her efforts to supply energy and nerve power. Our new remedy, Rexall Mucu-Tone, does this.

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\$25,000 FOR BEING HUGGED ON TRAIN

Woman Gets Damages From Railroad for Insults From Persons Still Unidentified.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 15.—Unless the state supreme court shall so order, the Southern Railway will be forced to pay \$25,000 to Mrs. Sumie Franklin of Newberry, this state, who received that verdict for alleged insults at the hands of men at present unknown.

After a hearing at Greenville, Judge Klugh, in the common pleas court, announced that he would not grant a new trial nor would he reduce the verdict to a smaller amount.

This is, perhaps, the most remarkable damage suit ever tried in South Carolina. Mrs. Franklin asserts that some months ago, on a Southern train bound for Greenville, two men lugged her and talked indecently to her, causing mental and physical suffering.

For the alleged hugs and insults she wanted \$25,000.

The conductor interfered as soon as the woman complained to him.

ZIONISTS MAY GO TO UGANDA

"Everything Arranged Satisfactorily," Says a Messenger From Promoter of Colonization Plan.

LONDON, April 15.—A private telegram received by a leading Zionist of London today from an English member of Zionist action committee at Vienna says:

"Everything arranged satisfactorily. This refers to the question of a Zionist settlement in Uganda, East Africa.

At the opening of the Sixth Zionist congress in Basel, Switzerland, on the 23d last, the president, Dr. Herzl, of Vienna, announced that Great Britain had offered the Zionists a large tract of territory in East Africa for colonization by the Jews, who would have an autonomous government under the suzerainty of Great Britain. The congress referred the question to the action committee.

REVIEW OF MERCANTILE TRADE.

Unseasonable Weather Restricts Business in South and West.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Special dispatches to the International Mercantile Agency report a continuance of favorable trade conditions in most centers of the country. Unseasonable weather still restricting business in certain parts of the South and West. This has been especially noticeable in the wholesale dry goods, where the movement has been delayed, although the sales in general average up to last week and in some sections even surpass the 1903 total.

While seedling throughout the Northwest has been retarded by a late spring, the season is not sufficiently far advanced to warrant any definite predictions concerning crop prospects. The St. Paul district reports a fairly good outlook, with chance of greatly improved prospects as soon as good weather permits the farmer to go on with his work. Collections in some lines are behind year ago. This applies especially where trade has been retarded by late spring or peculiar vicissitudes.

Improvements in iron have been thoroughly sustained. Pittsburgh district reports volume of business likely to equal last year's record. Consumptive demand is alone governing the market.

DR. AMES IS ARRESTED AGAIN.

New Bribery Charge Against Him, With New Witnesses.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 15.—Albert A. Ames, former mayor of Minneapolis, was arrested this afternoon on an indictment charging him with accepting a bribe Dec. 15, 1901, from Bessie Lee.

The indictment is like the others upon which he was first arraigned, but the feature of this one is that the same witnesses are not depended upon. In the indictment appears the name of Lily T. Ames, wife of Col. Fred Ames; Joseph Cohen, Frank Larabee, Irwin A. Gardner, Thomas R. Brown and two women. Dr. Ames pleaded not guilty and his case was set for trial May 2.

COL. MARCHAND IN PERIL.

French War Office Threatens Punishment for His Charges.

PARIS, France, April 15.—Gen. Andre, minister of war, on learning from an interviewer of the publication by Col. Marchand, the hero of the Fashoda affair, of an open letter concerning his resignation from the army, in which he declared that he had been slandered and was suffering from military ostracism, expressed skepticism as to the authenticity of the letter, adding:

"Should the letter prove to be genuine there can be no question not only of Col. Marchand's resignation, but of the severe punishment which awaits him."

FARMERS' TRUST ORGANIZES.

Incorporation Papers State That Its Capital Is \$50,000,000.

PIERRE, S. D., April 15.—Articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state for the National Farmers' Exchange, with South Dakota headquarters at Pierre and offices in Chicago, and a capital of \$50,000,000.

This corporation has for its purpose co-operation in the handling of all products of the farms, or in other words a "farmers' trust."

The incorporators are: W. N. Gaines, Topeka, Kan.; J. W. Payne, Hamlin, Ia.; J. S. Strandsburg, Watika, O. T.; A. G. Van Patten, Patten, Ill.; and L. L. Stephens and B. J. Binford, Pierre, S. D.

BURR INDICTMENT FOUND.

Original, Long Supposed to Be Lost, Coming to Fair.

RICHMOND, Va., April 14.—The original indictment of Aaron Burr for treason was found today in the archives of the federal courts here. It was long supposed to have been lost.

It is signed by John Randolph of Roanoke, foreman of the jury. It is to be used, with other papers, in the Aaron Burr trial, for an exhibit of the government at the St. Louis Exposition.

Kansas College Alumni Banquet.

At the first annual dinner of the St. Louis branch of the Alumni Association of St. Mary's (Kansas) College, given Thursday night at the St. Nicholas Hotel, the following were present: S. J. Harbaugh, P. J. Dowling, R. A. Lewis, J. P. Ryan, D. Jones, L. A. Seitz, J. P. Martin, J. O'Connell, W. B. Pilkington, J. P. Gallagher, J. Goehner, C. H. Ziebold, W. P. Lige, W. Clarkson, Ed. Bailey, J. R. McMenamy, J. McNichols, C. I. Wolf, W. J. Rae, the Conway, S. J.; N. Edwards, M. A. Reed, J. C. Hoester, H. E. Murray, F. Hanick, H. L. Collins, Ed. Rae, Rev. J. McCabe, S. J., and L. F. Hummer.

CLIFF DWELLERS, SNAKES AND CURIOUS HAVE ARRIVED.

A band of 150 Mogul, Zuni and Pueblo cliff dwellers from New Mexico, survivors of the oldest known inhabitants of America, is now quartered in the city of cliff dwellers on the Pike at the World's Fair, having arrived Thursday night.

The party is headed by Gov. Ramon Arce, who cherishes as his chief possession a medal given him by the city of Mexico in 1893 and a silver medal given one of his ancestors by President Van Buren in 1837.

Hattiesnakes, a sacred American eagle, and a variety of snakes, lizards and other weird creatures are among the things brought by the tribe.

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IMPERIAL TONIGHT. 25c Mat. Today. **ERNST LAMSON** In his new pastorial play. **Young Tobe Hoxie.** (Next Sun. Mat.—"Deserted at the Altar.")

GRAND TONIGHT. **JAMES K. HACKETT** IN THE CROWN PRINCE. PRICES: 25c to \$1.50. Next Sun. Mat.—Murray & Mack, A Night on Broadway.

COLUMBIA. Continuous Vaudeville, 1:30 to 10:30. DAILY. All This Week and Next Sunday. **Edna Leale, Eddie Leslie, Hester & Davis, Carrie Scott, Melroy Tito, Blair & McNulty, Chas. Mayer and Dog, The Kinetophone.** 25c—50c. Seats all orchestra chairs reserved. The 25c—50c—50c.

CRAWFORD THEATRE PRICES: 10c—20c—30c—50c. **MR. OSCAR DANES** presents a grand double bill—two plays for ONE admission. **"THE GOLDEN PAST" and "EAST LYNN."** Eagle Branding Stamps FREE—Tues., Wed., Thurs. and Sat. Matinee. Next Attraction—"TWO ORPHANS."

EXCURSION To Paducah, Ky., and Cartersville, Ill. BY SPORTSMAN'S LEAGUE. Saturday, April 16, 1904. via Illinois Central R. R. **LEAVE ST. LOUIS, MO., 8:15 A. M.** Train leaves St. Louis 11:15 A. M.; Belleville midnight.

AMUSEMENTS.

CENTURY—Tonight. **THE FAMOUS BOSTONIANS** With **BARNABEE** and **MACDONALD.** Tonight (Friday) and Saturday night and Sunday matinee. Herbert and Smith's THE SERENADE.

SUNDAY NIGHT—SEATS ON SALE NOW. **LEW DOCKSTADER'S MINSTRELS** JAMES H. DECKER, Manager.

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...RIVER EXCURSION... Steamer **Corwin H. Spencer** LEAVE FOOT OF LOCUST ST. AT 10 A. M. PROMPTLY. RETURNING AT 7 P. M. SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1904. Under the Auspices of the United Irish League. The steamer **Corwin H. Spencer** has been built especially for the excursion business, comfort and safety. Special accommodations for dancing and plenty of amusements for the passengers. Two decks locked in glass for protection in bad weather. Tickets, 25c. Children 10c.

AMUSEMENTS.

HAVLIN'S The Original Production of the TWO ORPHANS, with **KATE CLAYTON**, Will Not Play at St. Louis. **Heart of Maryland.** Tomorrow. **HAVLIN'S** Sunday Matinee Next—"Over Niagara Falls."

Now on sale. Photographic season tickets, 124 coupons, \$25. Photographic season tickets, 124 coupons, \$25. No charge for photograph. Coupons accepted at gate from date of delivery of book. Number of admissions daily at option of holder. Apply room 146 Laclede building, Fourth and Olive streets, and downtown ticket office at Vandalia, Chicago & Alton and Big Four railroads. **NORRIS B. GREGG**, Director of Concessions and Admissions. E. NORTON WHITE, Chief Department Admissions.

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If for a few minutes four times a day you breathe Hyomei, all catarrhal germs will be destroyed and the irritated mucous membrane restored to health.

With every Hyomei outfit there is a neat inhaler which can be carried in the purse or pocket. Hyomei breathed through this contains the same healing balsams that are found in the air upon the mountains, where catarrh is unknown.

It destroys all catarrhal germs in the air passages of the head, throat and nose, and makes a positive and permanent cure of catarrh.

Ask Judge & Dolph, 515 Olive street, to show you a Hyomei outfit and explain to you what a simple and easy way it is to relieve and cure your catarrhal troubles.

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GAME CALLED AT 3:30 P. M.

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Six Races Daily, Rain or Shine.

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ODEON—Saturday Matinee, April 16—8 P. M. **Mr. Jacob Haller's Fancy Dress Children's Garden Party.** Parquet \$1.00, Balcony 50c, including reserved seat at Balcony Box.

CAPT. WHEELER KILLED.

The Officer and Corp. Heyvelt Stabbed by Moros in Mindanao.

MANILA, April 15.—Capt. David F. Wheeler and Corporal Percy Heyvelt of the Tenth Cavalry, while reconnoitering the Moros' works along the Tarsac river, in the Lake Lanao district of the island of Mindanao, April 15, were stabbed in the abdomen. Capt. Wheeler died at midnight April 15. Corporal Heyvelt is recovering.

QUESTION RIGHTS AS TO "COTTAGE"

Mayor Wells Receives Protests
Against Hospital Plans and Attor-
neys Show Legal Objections.

Mayor Wells received numerous protests over the telephone Friday morning from citizens who object to any summary action being taken to turn "The Cottage" in Forest Park into a hospital for the World's Fair.

from Mayor Wells' views might have a chance to be heard.

Mayor Wells says that the matter is up to the health department.

A member of the city law department is of the opinion that "The Cottage" cannot be used as a hospital under the law.

The charter of St. Louis says that "The Cottage" shall be used only for park purposes, and not even the municipal assembly may change its purpose.

BOER VETERANS ATTEND THE KINLOCH RACES.

All the Boer veterans who are here for the World's Fair this morning formally accepted the invitation of President Chew to attend the opening of the Kinloch race meeting at the Fair Grounds this afternoon.

FILLEY CLUBS ARE GAINING STRENGTH

St. Louis Hamilton Club Leaders Ob-
ject to Platitudes of For-
mer Boss.

HE IS "AGIN" WALBRIDGE

Kerens Men, Notably John B. Owen,
Trying to Re-Eliminate Sage
of the Mosque.

In moving to secure control of the local Republican organization Chauncey I. Filley has run against several snags and is now at war with John B. Owen, the Sixth ward leader.

It appears that Filley's plan to restore Republican rule consists of organizing "good government" clubs in every ward.

In the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth and one or two West End wards he has corralled a membership of more than 1000.

Filley does not admit that he ever bolted the Republican party, but says the party bolted him.

His petitions, now being circulated, declare that "boodlers and grafters" are trying to get hold of the political reins, and that he is willing to lead the reform hosts to victory.

Among those who object to the language of the "Old Man" is Committee member Owen. He is not edited by Filley's platitudinous discourses on political morality, and he has so informed Filley.

But Filley simply laughs at Owen and tells him that the Republicans of the Sixth ward will get his scalp before the campaign has progressed much further. Owen is a Kerens man.

The meeting of the Republican City Central Committee with the St. Louis Hamilton Club Thursday night is of much significance, so far as Mr. Filley is concerned.

It is understood to be the purpose of the Hamilton Club to squelch the "Old Man," and they figure the best way to do the work is through the city committee.

A majority of the city committee are favorable to Filley and a few weeks ago they were willing to let him in on the ground floor of the committee.

But meantime he is effecting a strong organization throughout the city.

Republicans who have watched recent events say under no circumstances would Filley consent to make peace with the Hamilton Club.

Moreover, he does not take kindly to some of the men who are being put forward as prospective candidates on the Republican ticket.

It is well known that he despises ex-Mayor Walbridge, who is making a play for the gubernatorial nomination under the guise of a presidential campaign.

Nor would Filley lose much sleep over Representative Rothwell of Sedalia.

According to his friends, Filley will attend the Republican state convention, having arranged to secure a proxy in his district. In that event there may be lively times at the convention.

GIANTS VICTIMS OF NOSTALGIA

It Looks as Though It Had Been Used
as a Shield, It Is So
Scarred.

The Patagonian giants reached the World's Fair grounds Thursday morning.

The party consists of five men, two women and one child. It is in charge of Vicente Cane, a Peruvian who has lived among the Tehuelches, the tribe from which these giants were recruited.

The most striking member of the party is the King of the Tehuelches, whose name sounds something like Groom. He is a veritable giant, with a great, Ajaxian frame and a massive face.

The King and all four of the men of his tribe are over six feet tall. The two women are five feet and seven inches tall. They are much the largest people on the Fair grounds, and much the most primitive in appearance, for their clothes are blankets made from the skins of the guanaco, the camel-like creature which roams the plains of Patagonia in great herds, and which supplies the Indians with almost all their food and clothing.

King Groom and his people were given a fine reception, quite befitting the big savage's rank. They were met at the Union Station with a fine team and trap, and went to the Fair grounds in style.

They are copper-colored people, much like the Indians of the United States, and their faces are so big and their features so rugged that they look more like statues than animate beings.

Groom has the face of a real king of his kind. It is so rugged and scarred that it might easily be taken for the shield which has caught the blows of his people's enemies for some hundreds of years.

None of the Tehuelches can speak anything but their own guttural tongue, which may be likened in sound to a steamboat whistle with consumption.

Inasmuch as the Peruvian who brought them cannot speak English, information on the party's trip from South America was rather a slim harvest when the giants appeared on the grounds.

The Tehuelches opened their eyes something like a fox when they saw the buildings. They seemed inclined to run, but they stuck to their seats. They were the pictures of home-sickness.

They built their native huts, or toldos, on the grounds. These are made of guanaco hides stretched over stick frames. Until they begin this work they will be quartered alongside the little hairy Alus, who recently arrived from Japan.

New Double Daily Through Sleeping
Cars Between St. Louis and Denver
via Missouri Pacific Railway.

Commencing April 15 the Missouri Pacific railway will operate their sleeping cars through to Denver on train leaving St. Louis 9 a. m. This, with the through sleeper on train leaving 10:10 p. m., will give double daily through service. For complete schedule and other information see City Ticket Office, southeast corner Sixth and Olive streets.

Society of Pedagogy Election.

The annual election of the Society of Pedagogy will be held Saturday morning at the Central High School.

The candidates for president are William Schuyler, assistant principal of the McKinley High School, and R. L. Barton, principal of the Emerson School. Other nominees are: For vice-president, John S. Collins; treasurer, J. J. Smith; secretary, Clara M. James; official reporter, Philo Stevenson; member executive committee, Mary J. Brady.

A Discovery.

This is the time of year to find out if the winter girl's beauty is only a mask. Incidentally, this is the time to pick up rare bargains in the "Real Estate" columns of Sunday Post-Dispatch. Want over a million readers.

YOUNG WOMEN TO ENTERTAIN

Sodality of St. Patrick's Church of
East St. Louis. Will Give
Euchar Monday Evening.

Dark skirted, white shirtwaisted young women will be hostesses at the entertainment of the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Patrick's Church, East St. Louis, will give Monday evening in the parochial school hall.

The program will be: Piano solo, Miss Alice Walsh; vocal solo, Miss Elizabeth Kilkenry; piano solo, Miss Adelle Boleman; recitation, Miss Beanie Cragen; vocal solo, Miss Nellie Walsh; piano solo, Miss Viola McHale.

At the euchar, which will follow the entertainment, the following young women will serve as tally keepers: Misses Lillian Donahue, Katherine Jennings, Minnie Moore, Hattie O'Brien, Katie Moore, Josephine Marion, Josephine Chapman.

Misses Mary Walsh and Katie Grady will have charge of the door and Misses Nellie Walsh and Margaret Kiekham of the cloak room.

Refreshments will be served by the following young women: Misses Nora Dorgan, Yvonne McHale, Della Dorgan, Anita Griffin, Vessie Miller, Beanie Cragen, Elizabeth Kilkenry, Marie Rostetter, Adelle Boleman, Viola McHale, Nellie Moore, Julia Horn, Nellie Walsh, Margaret Hayes, Katie Sullivan, Irene Ventman, Cecelia Miller.

The members of the refreshment committee will wear dainty tea aprons, and all the members of the sodality will wear its colors—blue and white.

Belleville Marriage Licenses.

John H. Taylor, 28. Belleville
Lillian H. Taylor, 16. Belleville
Henry G. Fritz, 28. Belleville
Gertrude Eckholt, 22. Belleville
Madison A. Turner, 26. Belleville
Pearl Delaney, 21. Belleville
Gibby Martin, 24. Belleville
Elizabeth Schuman, 21. Belleville

Belleville Court Docket.

Following is the Belleville Circuit Court docket for Friday: The People vs. Jesse Rhyne, embes-

SATURDAY SPECIALS

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ST. LOUIS CHEAPEST STORE

BROADWAY AND FRANKLIN AVE.

Muslin Underwear.

Corset Covers. 20 dozen of Sample Corsets, prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$2.50—special sale Saturday at..... 25c

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Gowns. 100 dozen Drawers of good muslin, umbrella style, deep hem, with tucks; 25c kind—Saturday..... 10c

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Saturday Bargains.

Ladies' Covert Coats. Saturday we will offer magnificent Covert Coats, neatly tailored, our regular \$7.00 Coat—Saturday only..... \$4.50

Children's Dresses. Special Saturday, we will place on sale the entire lot of Children's Spring Dresses, ages 5 to 14—some of this lot worth up to \$5.00—your choice Saturday only..... \$1.98

SATURDAY'S CLOTHING SPECIALS

Men's \$10.00 All-Wool Suits, in black and blue and Scotch mixtures, dark and light pattern Suits and Topcoats, made and trimmed up to date for Spring wear..... \$5.65

Men's \$2.95 Wool Pants..... \$1.49

Men's \$5.00 Pants..... \$2.98

Men's \$15.00 Suits, all-wool black and fancy styles, made in up-to-date style..... \$9.85

Men's \$1.50 Pants; for one hour, from 2 to 3 o'clock..... 49c

Boys' Double-Breasted and Norfolk Style Suits, good \$3.00 values..... \$1.45

Boys' \$5.00 Suits..... \$2.95

Boys' 75c All-Wool Knee Pants..... 35c

Boys' 50c Blouses—slightly soiled..... 19c

Boys' \$1.95 Suits, will last one hour, from 9 to 10 a. m., 69c

FREE—Bat and Ball with every Suit over \$2.00.

Youths' \$9.00 Wool Suits, in many styles and patterns, durable material, well made—Saturday..... \$4.98

Men's \$2 and \$3 Hats. Men's fine Stiff and Soft Felt Hats, all the latest blocks, in tan and black, Saturday, while they last..... 50c

Golf Caps. Boys' Golf Caps, assorted colors, worth 25c and 50c, Saturday, while they last..... 11c

PETTICOATS. Children's Petticoats, made of good quality muslin, trimmed with fancy ribbons, with Cuban heels, \$3.00 values—Saturday, per pair..... 10c

Saturday Shoe Bargains LADIES' \$5.00 PATENT LEATHER SHOES—Made from bright patent calf skin, in stylish lasts, with Cuban heels, \$3.00 values—Saturday, per pair..... \$1.50

GIRLS' AND BOYS' SHOES—In satin calf and kid, usually sell at \$1.50 pair, made with good solid leather—your choice Saturday, per pair..... 98c

MEN'S SHOES—400 pair Men's Sample Shoes in solid leather—worth up to \$3.00 pair—your choice Saturday..... \$1.45

BASEMENT SPECIALS.

COMFORTS—Full size White Cotton Filled Comforts, worth \$1.50; Saturday on sale for..... 95c

COTTON BLANKETS—11-4 size, 35c each..... 35c

PANTS—Lace Ribbed Pants, with wide lace bottoms, worth 35c, in basement, for..... 5c

LADIES' DRESSING SACQUES—In all sizes and colors, excellent value at 35c in basement..... 19c

TOWELS—10c Huck Towels, red bordered, good quality; from 8 to 10 o'clock in basement..... 7c

RED SPREADS—White Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, good quality, raised Marseilles patterns; from 8 to 10 o'clock in basement..... \$1.00

SHEETS—60c Sheets, full size, slightly soiled, will sell Saturday for..... 39c

SHEETS—75c Hemstitched Sheets will sell Saturday for..... 50c

BOLSTER CASES—25c Beached Bolster Cases will sell Saturday for..... 15c

PILLOW CASES—10c Bleached Pillow Cases will sell Saturday for..... 6c

WALL PAPER.

Saturday shoppers will get the greatest bargains ever offered. New goods brought down from the stock room will surprise you.

1000 rolls of a Special will go at..... 1c

the roll..... 3c

3000 rolls of Glimmer Paper..... 5c

1500 rolls Embossed Gold Papers, just to advertise.

Bring size of rooms.

Photo Dept.

People wonder why it is our Photo Dept. is so well patronized, but after they have seen the beautiful Photos which we are turning out at..... 50c PER DOZEN

they cease wondering, for it is a recognized fact that they are the best value ever offered in St. Louis. We are the leaders of low prices in photography and the people of St. Louis know it. That's the reason we are doing such a gigantic business.

FASHIONABLE JEWELRY

FOR

APRIL WEDDINGS.

A. Kurtzeborn & Sons,

JEWELERS,

310 NORTH SIXTH.

Simmons Hardware Co.

BROADWAY STORE.

Saturday Bargains

Useful Things at Less Than Usual Prices.

There's a difference between our business and that of the ordinary hardware store. For instance, one difference is in quality. No article can enter our stock unless it's honest—no matter how cheap it is. Again, no article has a fancy price—no matter how good it is. In short, high quality and low price travel hand in hand in our establishment.

Tools of All Kinds.

We mention quite a number of the extraordinary values; there are many more fully as interesting—shown on special tables in our regular Hardware Department (First Floor.)

Nail Hammers, solid cast steel, waite hickory handle, everlast-
ing lock hammer wedge, which positively prevents head from working loose or flying off handle. Price, each, 25c.

Sure-Grip Braces—Polished sweep and thimble, malleable jaws, polished maple head and handle; price, each, only 25c.

Bits—Auger Bits, 1/4 and 1/2 inch sizes—gimlet bits and countersink bits; price, each, 10c.

Iron Block Planes, each, 25c.

Two-Foot Rules, each, 10c.

Tape Lines—1/4 inch cotton tape, in strong metallic case; price, each, 25c.

Screw-Drivers—Round or flat handles, several different kinds and lengths, each, 10c.

Padlocks—Several sizes and styles; choice, each, 25c.

Tack Hammers, each, 5c.

Saw Files, each, only 5c.

Spoke Shaves, price, each, 10c.

Try Squares, price, each, 15c.

Shoe Hammers, each, 10c.

File and Tool Handles—Malleable iron, trimmed, adjustable to fit any size small shank tool; price, each, 15c.

Pointing Trowels—Cast steel, each, 25c.

Monkey Wrenches—8 1/4 inch; price, 25c.

Small Vises, each, 25c.

Conductors' Patches, 25c.

Eclipse Rubbing Stone—For rubbing rough stuff and fine woodwork; price, 5c.

Coat and Hat Hooks—Japanned, per dozen, 15c.

Hold-Fast Screw-Drivers—This is the greatest tool of its kind in the world. Everybody can use it to advantage. Holds screws, all sizes, like a vise, and will not slip. Only a fraction of a second required to adjust it to head of screw. A muscle, time and temper saver; price, each, \$1.00.

Hammocks. (Sporting Goods Dept.)

Full colored Scotch Plaid, woven from extra heavy cotton yarn, patent adjustable pillow, three full length b. o. n. t. wood spreaders at each end—regular price \$2.00; price now only \$1.75.

Children's Express Wagons—As illustrated—pedal propelling, exact reproduction of locomotive, seat in cab; decorated in bright colors, strong steel wheels. Regular price, \$10.00; this week only \$3.00 each.

Bicycle Lamps—Acetylene Gas Lamps, made of brass and nickel-plated, needle point burner, easy to handle and clean. Regular price \$1.50; price this week, 50c each.

Simmons Hardware Co.

GAS COMPANY'S SUB-STATION.

PAY GAS BILLS HERE

For the convenience of our patrons we have opened sub-stations in various sections of the city, where gas bills can be paid WITHOUT FEE.

Notice of locations will be attached to your next gas bills.

The Laclede Gas Light Co.

716 Locust Street.

A. A. AAL CLOAK CO.

515 LOCUST ST.

THE BUSY LITTLE CLOAK HOUSE 'ROUND THE CORNER

READ WHAT WE OFFER FOR SATURDAY.

You Can Depend on Finding Just What Is Advertised, as We Are Not Fakers.

Blouse Tourist Suits, dust-proof materials, value \$15.00, Saturday..... \$7.75

Swell Covert Jackets, same sold on Broadway at \$15.00, all silk-lined, Saturday..... \$7.50

Choice of eleven styles of Walking Skirts—all kinds of materials—value \$7, \$8 and \$10—Saturday..... \$5.00

The swellest Etamine and fine Voile Dress Skirts, elegantly trimmed, colors black, cream, navy, etc.—value \$15.00—Saturday..... \$8.75

Extra Special! We scooped up a lot of \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00 Waists—all go at..... \$1.00

Odds and ends of fine Waists—Saturday..... 75c

CHOICE, \$1.00

The best Silk Shirt-Waist Suit in St. Louis—actual value \$22.50. Colors brown, navy, etc.—Saturday Only..... \$15.00

DOUBLE DWP. PEARL Tuberose Bulbs— Regular Price 50c. Only 15c Dozen

SOW "SHAW'S GARDEN HYBRIDS" DWARF NASTURTIUM. Procureable Only from Us.

A Full Assortment of Hardy Shrubs.

TRY OUR VEGETABLE SEEDS. See Page 7 of our Catalog: "COMPLETE FAMILY GARDEN COLLECTION" The greatest money and time-saving collection of the 25 BEST Vegetables ever offered.

FOR YOUR GARDEN

CANNAS, All colors, Dwarf or Tall kinds, Per Dozen, 50c

LILY of the VALLEY Every one loves this sweet little flower. Pips 20c Dozen

ST. LOUIS SEED CO. Successors to the Retail Dept. of PLANT SEED CO. 615 NORTH FOURTH STREET, One Door from Washington Avenue.

ANOTHER SATURDAY SPECIAL?

Here's Something to Match the Water Sets We Sold Last Saturday.

TOMORROW (SATURDAY) COME EARLY.

Beautiful Pressed Cut Four-Piece Table Sets, consisting of Sugar Bowl and Cover, Butter Dish and Cover, Cream Pitcher and Spoon Holder, made of fine, clear, crystal glass, handsomely decorated with grapes and leaves—all nicely wrapped, regular 50c value, for..... 25c PER SET.

ST. LOUIS HOUSEFURNISHING CO.

902-904-906 FRANKLIN AVENUE.

ENDORSE THOSE OF INTEGRITY

Republican City Committee Pass Resolutions on Candidates.

A meeting of the Republican city central committee will be held next Tuesday evening with the executive committee of the

St. Louis Hamilton Club, 277 Pine street, for a discussion of the coming campaign. At a meeting of the Republican city committee Thursday night, standing committees were announced and resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt and favoring the nomination at the state convention to be held in St. Joseph July 27, of "only candidates of known ability and integrity."

TRAIN KILLS RAILROAD MAN.

Joint Rate Inspector Has Fatal Fall From Step.

L. V. Ferguson, inspector for the joint rate inspection bureau, was instantly killed at the East St. Louis relay depot Thursday night while boarding a train

for his home in St. Louis. An eastbound Vandalia train struck him just as he was swinging on the step of a train, and the body was hurled some distance and frightfully mangled. Mr. Ferguson was 25 years old and unmarried. His home was at Pleasant Green, Mo., and he is well known in Sedalia, where the body will be buried. He had been rooming at 1818 Hickory street.

TRIPLE SHOOTING FROM DRINK.

Aged Man Kills Nephew and Wounds Niece and Himself.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 15.—John G. Gage, aged 69 years, shot and killed Grover Foster, his nephew, and fatally wounded

Mrs. E. E. Sigler, his niece, because they remonstrated with him for threatening to kill his wife. Then, he shot himself in the head. He will probably die. He had been drinking heavily.

EVANS' FAMOUS ALB is served in all progressive and prosperous places.

Webash Increases Facilities.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 15.—The Webash has decided to extend the double track, which is now being laid from St. Louis to Litchfield, 80 miles further north to Charleston. The road has also decided to put on two additional trains each way between Chicago and St. Louis and one additional train each way between St. Louis and Buffalo.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing

From the Great Gumpertz Stock, Will Be Sold Saturday as Bought, at 52c on the Dollar!



Men who are mindful of their own best interests—who strive to be fashionably dressed and who are particular about the hang, fit and general make-up of their clothes—can share tomorrow at Famous in the most phenomenal clothing values presented in years. As you read the items enumerated below and note the low prices affixed, bear in mind, please, that Saturday's selling prices in most instances cover but half of the true worth of the garments offered. G. GUMPERTZ, SON & CO. was East St. Louis' largest department store. They handled none but the very best grades of goods. It required the choicest productions of America's foremost tailors to satisfy their ideas of clothing excellence. Famous bought this \$88,000 stock at 52 cents on the dollar—hence is justified in naming these competitionless values for Saturday. G. GUMPERTZ, SON & CO. was in business in East St. Louis scarcely one year. All the goods that came with this masterly purchase are new and of the most stylish character. They're clothes that we can sell and that you can buy with perfect security as to their satisfying abilities.

MEN—Come Saturday and learn what true clothing economy really means. We'll have plenty of courteous and competent salesmen in attendance to promptly and carefully look after the needs of the throngs we anticipate.

G. Gumpertz, Son & Co.'s Men's \$20 Top Coats, \$12.75

They express the very cleverest Top Coat ideas of this season—the swaggy short box style or medium lengths—constructed of those becoming gray and brownish Honespuns and Scotch Mixtures—smart tan and drab cover cloths in both the plain and fancy weaves—and the Oxford gray and solid black Vicunas and undiluted Worsted. These coats are hand-tailored throughout and possess that artistic snap and dash usually seen in the better custom tailored garments—the best linings and trimmings were used in their building—coats that are not only good wearing but also good looking.

—Gumpertz's price was \$18.50, \$18 and \$20—Saturday at Famous..... **12.75**

Men's Spring Top Coats—Gumpertz's price \$12.50 and \$15—Saturday at Famous..... **8.25**

Men's Raincoats—Gumpertz's price \$20 and \$22.50—Saturday at Famous..... **14.50**

G. Gumpertz, Son & Co.'s YOUNG MEN'S SUITS.

The swell 3-button double-breasted Coats, with the long lapels the striking 3-button single-breasted Coats—the conservative 4-button single-breasted Coats in the season's richest colorings and patterns—also plain blues and blacks for semi-dress wear. The tailoring, finish and fit could not be improved upon by the highest-priced custom tailors.

—Gumpertz's price was \$12.50, \$12 and \$15—Saturday at Famous—choice of hundreds..... **12.50**

Young Men's Suits—Blacks, blues and fancies—Gumpertz's price \$10, \$11 and \$12—Saturday at Famous..... **7.25**

Young Men's Suits—In blacks, blues and fancies—Gumpertz's price \$8, \$9 and \$10—Saturday at Famous..... **4.90**

G. GUMPERTZ, SON & CO.'S MEN'S FANCY VESTS

In figured silks and washable materials—the newest Spring shadings in a large variety of patterns and designs—also plain white. You can buy them Saturday at Famous at about half usual price—you can well afford to treat yourself to several of them during the Gumpertz sale.

MEN'S FANCY VESTS—Gumpertz's price \$1.50 and \$2.00—Saturday at Famous..... **95c**

MEN'S FANCY VESTS—Gumpertz's price \$1.50 and \$2.00—Saturday at Famous..... **\$2.20**

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G. Gumpertz, Son & Co.'s Men's \$25 Suits, \$13.75

So much clothing excellence was never before crowded into suits at this low price. They are suits that reflect the skillful handwork of a master tailor—made of this spring's most wanted fabrics in all the stylish pattern creations that are popular—all the correct colors, styles and effects are here for your choosing—these suits contain that certain degree of dressiness that men of neatness appreciate—come in Saturday and choose your favored one—the saving to be accomplished certainly warrants it—Gumpertz's price for these suits was \$22.50 and \$25.00—Saturday at Famous..... **13.75**

Men's Suits—Gumpertz's price \$15 and \$20—Saturday at Famous..... **11.40**

Men's Suits—Gumpertz's price \$15 and \$20—Saturday at Famous..... **8.85**

Men's \$6 and \$7 Pants, \$3.65

Every man can use an extra pair or two of stylish Trousers and with values like these at your command, you should not hesitate to take advantage of this unusual opportunity. These Trousers come in handsome striped worsteds, neat cassimeres and nobby Scotch mixtures—all hand tailored throughout and made by the foremost trouser tailors in America—all sizes—Gumpertz's price was \$6 to \$7—Saturday at Famous..... **3.65**

Men's Pants—Gumpertz's price \$4 and \$5—Saturday at Famous..... **2.40**

Men's Pants—Gumpertz's price \$3 and \$3.50—Saturday at Famous..... **1.65**

G. GUMPERTZ, SON & CO.'S CLOTHES FOR WORKINGMEN.

Well-known, standard brands at prices much lower than manufacturers originally ask.

SWEET, ORR & CO.'S Overalls and Jumpers—Gumpertz's price \$3 and \$4—Saturday at Famous..... **65c**

Men's Corduroy Pants—In brown, mode and black—Gumpertz's price \$3 and \$3.50—Saturday at Famous..... **1.65**

Men's Jeans Pants—Union-made—Gumpertz's price \$1.25 and \$1.50—Saturday at Famous..... **90c**

Men's Mackintoshes—Gumpertz's price \$2.50 and \$3—Saturday at Famous..... **1.75**

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G. Gumpertz, Son & Co.'s "Sir Knight" Shoes FOR MEN.

Standard \$4 Shoes, Saturday \$2.90



The widely advertised "Sir Knight" Shoes for men have achieved an enviable reputation for their comfort-giving and service-giving qualifications—they're made by the Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe Co. of this city, and we readily annex our highest recommendations to them. They come in patent colt, viol kid and velour calf, in the custom toe and in all the dressiest Spring lasts—all sizes. If we had bought them in the regular way we'd be obliged to ask \$4 for them, just as every other store must do—Saturday, in this Gumpertz sale, choice for..... **2.90**

MEN'S HIGH-GRADE SHOES—Patent colt, viol and cadet kid, velour and box calf—lace or blucher styles—all the newest toe shapes—Goodway welt—Gumpertz's \$3.50 and \$4.00—Shoes—Saturday at Famous..... **2.65**

MEN'S FINE SHOES—High or low cut—patent colt, viol kid, velour or box calf—all styles—single or double sole—a grand lot—Gumpertz's \$2.00 kind—Saturday at Famous..... **1.90**

BOYS' FINEST SHOES—Velour or box calf—viol kid or enamel calf—lace style—newest toe shapes—Gumpertz's \$2.00 kind—Saturday at Famous..... **1.85**

BOYS' GOOD QUALITY CAS-CO AND BOX CALF LACE SHOES—Plenty of sizes—all Gumpertz's \$1.75 and \$2.00 kinds—Saturday at Famous..... **1.30**

Our Men's Suits at \$18.00.

Are not only as good, but in nine cases out of ten are even better than the lines shown elsewhere at \$25. There's that certain air of elegance about them that strongly suggests the artistic touches of the master tailor. Particular dressers will fancy them. Here you can select from the largest and best assortment ever shown in St. Louis at this price. Included is every fabric, style and pattern that the fashion builders have sealed as correct this Spring. Suits on a par in every respect with those for which custom tailors ask \$30—Famous Price..... **18.00**

Boys' \$3, \$9 and \$10 Suits for \$4.95

They're From the Great Gumpertz Stock.

NAVAL OFFICERS THE GUESTS OF FAIR

Men of Nashville and Lawrence Will Be Met by R. Diaz-Albertini in Launch.

MANY TOWNS DISAPPOINTED

Ganboat and Torpedo Boat Destroyer Making No Day Stops in Their Hurried Trip.

World's Fair officials have begun to receive telegraphic reports of the progress of the gunboat Nashville and the torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence, now on their way up the Mississippi river to participate in the opening of the World's Fair, April 18.

R. Diaz-Albertini, secretary of the reception committee of the Fair, says plans are in preparation for the reception and entertainment of the officers and crews upon their arrival. He will go down the river in a launch as the vessels near St. Louis and welcome them in the name of President Francis and the Exposition company.

"As representatives of the United States navy, the ships and their men will be the guests of the Exposition," said Mr. Albertini. "Upon their arrival here I shall probably escort the officers to the Administration building, where they will meet President Francis and other officials of the Fair."

Further plans for their entertainment are under way, fitting the importance of the visit of the vessels. Just what these are we shall probably know in a few days.

Dispatches say the ships have passed Greenville, Miss., riding up the river at high speed, to the disappointment of inhabitants of river towns, who expected them to follow the precedent set by former naval visitors and stop along the way.

The ships should reach St. Louis, it is said, by April 26 or earlier.

Harbor Commissioner Whyte has chosen an anchorage for the Nashville and Lawrence at the foot of Market street, near the Illinois shore, where the channel is sufficiently deep and the bottom stable.

Mayor Wells stated Friday morning that while the gunboat and destroyer were not invited to come here by the city officials, still, as the city's guests, they were welcome, and the "Mark Twain," with a party of city officials, would probably go down the river to meet and escort them to their anchorage.

Mother and Baby

both helped by the use of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

It will enrich the mother's milk and make the baby thrive. If it is a bottle baby, put a part of a teaspoonful in the bottle when it is fed. For poorly nourished babies and children we believe it has no equal in the world.

NURSE GIVES HER LIFE IN PURSUIT OF HER DUTY.



MISS EVA CREEDEN

After an illness of three weeks, resulting, it is believed, from infection received while nursing a typhoid fever patient at the City Hospital, Miss Eva Creeden, aged 24 years, of Paris, Ontario, is dead at the St. Louis Training School for Nurses, where she had almost completed the two-years' course.

Nurses for the City Hospital are furnished from the training school, and it was while caring for a typhoid patient that Miss Creeden became ill. She came to St. Louis from Canada 16 months ago, and was a favorite among her instructors. Her parents and all of her relatives live in Canada.

The funeral will be held at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon at the training school, 1224 Dillon street. Short services will be conducted by Rev. Frederick W. Cornell. The body will be sent to Paris, Ont., for burial.

RECOVER STOLEN PROPERTY.

Occupant of Room Containing Articles Valued at \$400 Was Gone.

Stolen property amounting to \$400 in value and consisting of clothing, watches, jewelry, bric-a-brac, jewel cases and other valuables was found in a room in the rear of 420 North Third street, East St. Louis, by Detectives Haggerty, D. Shipp, Neville and Stacker Friday morning.

The occupant of the room, a negro, was gone when the discovery was made. A portion of the property has been identified as that taken from East St. Louis homes in the recent burglaries.

The clue to the location of the stolen goods was given the detectives by a woman living on Kansas avenue, whose home was robbed several days ago. While walking on the street she saw a negro woman wearing a cloak that had been stolen from her. She followed the woman and found that she lived in the neighborhood of the room where the property was eventually found.

Dr. Paquin Makes a Denial.

Dr. Otha Paquin of the Dr. Otha Paquin Immune Co. of 211 Locust street, denies that he has turned any of the assets of that company to his own use as charged in the application for a receiver filed in Judge Ryan's court Thursday by R. S. Strobbart and T. H. Strohbecht. Dr. Paquin says that when the case comes up for hearing he will show that his handling of the affairs of the company is clearly within his rights.

Pursued Wife With Razor.

Edward LeBlonde, a barber, was fined \$10 and costs in the City Hall police court Friday morning by Judge Tracy for pursuing his wife, Mrs. Mamie B. LeBlonde, with a razor. The quarrel occurred at 313 Sidney street, where Mrs. LeBlonde lives with her father.

Corean Ruler's Palace Burns.

KOBE, Japan, April 15.—The imperial palace at Seoul, Corea, was destroyed by fire yesterday. No details have been received here. The cause of the fire is not known.

UNION CASTS OUT BANDMASTER WEIL

Importation of Musicians and Violation of Exposition Wage Scale Are Charged.

Unless matters are satisfactorily adjusted at Friday's session of the Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association, William Weil, official World's Fair bandmaster, will be expelled from the association, and, through his inability to employ union musicians in good standing, will possibly forfeit his contract with the World's Fair.

Bandmaster Weil, as told in late editions of Thursday's Post-Dispatch, is charged with having imported outside musicians to make up his instrumentation of 45 musicians for the Fair band, and to have refused to pay the local union scale, or \$45 per week for four hours work per day throughout the Fair. It is stated further that the imported musicians, being union men, cannot afford to play for Weil at reduced rates.

Mr. Weil denies that he has imported any musicians, and has asked for a hearing before the American Federation of

Musicians, which was set for Friday morning at 11 o'clock at 1720 Olive street. Mr. Weil's contract with the World's Fair stipulates that the minimum wage paid musicians shall be \$45 a week. This clause was inserted by the music bureau at the request of the Musicians' Union.

E. R. Kroeger, assistant manager of the World's Fair music bureau, said Friday it was not thought necessary to insert the additional clause that union musicians should be employed, as the union strength at the Exposition was such that the bureau did not think Mr. Weil would attempt to do otherwise.

The compensation is not made public, but was based on a band of 45 men at the minimum salary stated.

Presents Portrait to Society.

Mrs. John Doniphan of St. Joseph, Mo., has presented to the Missouri Historical Society, the regular monthly meeting of which was held Thursday night, a life-size bust portrait of Gen. A. W. Doniphan, who led the United States forces in the battle of Sacramento during the Mexican war.

Not Porter made the presentation address. Maj. Clark Kennerly and E. J. Glasgow, Mexican war veterans and personal acquaintances of Gen. Doniphan, were present at the meeting.

Street Car Victim Is Dead.

William O'Hearn, aged 22 years, a steamboat mate, whose skull was fractured Tuesday morning, when he stepped off one street car in front of another, mistaking the headlight for a rear light, died at the City Hospital Friday morning. O'Hearn's skull was fractured.

TICKET FOR EACH \$5 SUBSCRIBER

Business Men's League Decided on Allotment of Admissions to Democratic Convention.

The chairman of committees of the Business Men's League having in charge the management of the Democratic national convention to be held in the St. Louis Coliseum, beginning July 6, at a meeting Thursday night, at the St. Louis Club, decided on the manner of distributing the 300 admission tickets awarded to St. Louis by the Democratic national committee.

Each member of the Business Men's League is to receive one ticket of six coupons, good for the six sessions of the convention.

Subscribers to the convention fund are to be given single admission coupons, according to amount contributed, as follows: Five dollars to \$15, one; \$15 to \$25, two; \$25 to \$40, four; \$40 or more, six coupons.

A few tickets will be reserved for distinguished state and foreign officials who may be visiting the city at the time.

The ticket distribution will be in charge of a committee comprising C. H. Huttig, chairman of the finance committee; C. F. Walbridge, president of the Business Men's League; Walker Hill, treasurer of the Business Men's League convention committee; John Schroeder, chairman of the hall committee; and W. F. Saunders, secretary of the Business Men's League.

The Coliseum is to be donated for the convention by the World's Fair authorities, who have control of the building. The \$3000 needed to prepare the Coliseum will be paid out of the World's Fair fund. The building will seat 900 persons, and the delegates, alternates and national committee-men will control 750 of the seats.

ALL WERE BUSY "IDLING."

This Is Only Charge, Although Race Sheets Were Found.

Charges of "idling" were faced in the City Hall police court Thursday by the 14 men arrested at 206 North Seventh street in a raid, as told in late editions of Thursday's Post-Dispatch. The men arrested gave names and addresses as follows: Arthur Newcomb, 232 Olive street; Fred King, 206 Bacon street; Thomas Schaffer, 313 South Seventh street; C. F. Smith, 323 South Second street; James T. Lyman, 1233 Cass avenue; James Shannon, 1429 North Fourteenth street; James Cronahav, 272 South Tenth street; Joseph Buchal, 272 South Tenth street; John Ryan, 321 Madison street; James Connel, 43 Washington

avenue; Charles W. Walker, 221 North Compton avenue; John Cass, 221 Chouteau avenue.

A book containing sheets of race was found in a waste basket at the place raided.

Discuss Erection of Theater.

The erection of a German theater on Grand avenue between Olive street and Finney avenue will be discussed at a meeting of German citizens in the Odeon Saturday night. The proposed building is to be seven stories high and the auditorium will seat 1500 persons.

LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

one size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swelling, feet, blisters, calluses and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Powder is a certain cure for itching, burning, aching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen & Gundersen, La. Roy, N. Y.

A Day of Exceptional Value Giving

Come here tomorrow and study the offerings we describe today if you would know conclusively of this store's underselling and its value to you. Great cases of Men's and Boys' Clothing have been arriving for a week, being our Eastern buyer's late purchases from many of America's foremost tailors. Every garment secured is new and desirable and of unquestioned merit, for no other kind ever comes inside our doors. These goods were bought at decided price concessions, and now go to our patrons at equally reduced sale prices. They will be found the best values in good clothing ever distributed in this city.

Young Men's Suits.

We invite consideration tomorrow of the greatest showing and best values in Youths' Suits at \$9.75 ever made in St. Louis. Extensive purchases of the past few weeks are just in and no one who sees them will question that our buyers bought with excellent judgment and most advantageously. There are scores of handsome spring patterns in Pure Worsteds, Scotchies and Cheviots, cut in the three and four button single-breasted style; also Blue Serges, Black Tibbets and Unfinished Worsteds, with single and the swell three-button double-breasted coats, with long roll collars; these suits possess the distinctive style and athletic shapeliness sought by young men, and will prove satisfactory in every particular. Choice of thousands for.....

\$9.75

Men's and Youths' Topcoats

We have just received and will place on sale Saturday, a large lot of Men's and Youths' Tan Covert Spring Overcoats, in medium and short lengths, lined with serge, with satin sleeve lining, cut in the latest style box back, high, smooth collar and broad shoulders; these are extra well tailored and finished, and an unsurpassed value at the price.....

\$9.75

Edwin Clapp Oxfords

We are closing out a line of these High-Grade Shoes and those who expect to profit by it should get here tomorrow. There are 12 styles in black leathers only, in Spring and Summer shapes, of patent kid, patent colt, vicci kid and velour calf, in all sizes from 5½ to 11 and width AA to E. Clapp Oxfords are made to sell at \$5 and up to \$7—your choice of these tomorrow for.....

\$4.00

Boys' Serge Suits.

Tomorrow in our Boys' Department we continue the phenomenal sale of fine pure worsted Blue Serge Suits at \$2.95. No one who has a boy to clothe can afford to miss it. These Suits come in two styles—double-breasted, ages 8 to 16, and Norfolk, ages 5 to 13. They are beautifully tailored dress Suits. The coats are lined with best Italian cloth, the pants are full lined, have taped seams, patent waistband and belt straps. We got them cheap in a large purchase, and will continue selling them tomorrow until all are gone, at.....

\$2.95

Men's Trousers

A sale of Trousers—hundreds of pairs from makers noted for the style and elegance of their work—Trousers of pure Worsteds, Cheviots and Homespuns, in black and small, neat stripes and novelty patterns—Trousers in all sizes of each pattern, so you'll be sure of getting the pair you like—an astonishing value tomorrow for.....

\$2.95

Men's Fine Suits.

Here are thousands of the newest and best products of America's leading tailors—every suit dependable—every one the best of its grade money could buy. In Men's Suits we can meet any demand up to The Model's finest hand-tailored garments at \$35. We invite particular attention tomorrow to our superb values at \$11.50.

Men's Spring Suits, in pure worsteds, cassimeres, serges, fancy Scotchies, day worsteds, black tibbets and unfinished worsteds, lined with worsted serge, with close-fitting hand-felled collars and wide concave shoulders; in a big assortment of attractive spring patterns—choice.....

\$11.50

Men's Black Suits.

Will go on sale tomorrow at a price that will make a buyer of every one who sees them. They are made of a good quality Black All-Wool Thibet, in single-breasted style, lined with pure wool serge; they are excellently tailored in the very latest style, possessing the "hang" and fitting like suits of highest grade. We bought 400 of these suits very cheap and tomorrow give our patrons the benefit by selling choice for.....

\$7.50

Men's Headwear.

It is by giving exceptionally good values all the time in all grades of Hats that we have made this the leading Hat store in St. Louis. As an instance, take our \$1.90 Hats. We guarantee them absolutely, giving a new one free for any that fail to wear satisfactorily. At that price we show the Dunlap, Youman and Knox shapes in stiff Hats, in black, tan and brown, also soft Hats in black, tan, nutria, fawn and pearl, in all the novelty and staple shapes. If you want a good, low-priced Hat, that'll satisfy, get ours at.....

\$1.90



We Are Now Making a Grand Display of Spring Clothing

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Single and Double-Breasted Sack Suits, made of beautiful fabrics that will not be found in any other retail store.

Children's Suits

In Russian Blouse, Norfolk with Bloomer Pants, and Sailor Suits—very different from the cheap styles that are shown in dry goods and department stores.

We manufacture for our stores that are in seventeen of the largest cities in America, and we are the largest buyers for cash of clothing fabrics for retail purposes in the world.

Think of the advantage this all gives us over the retailer who buys his clothing ready made from the manufacturer.

We are showing very beautiful styles of Top Coats and regular-length Overcoats in light and dark colors, for men, boys and children.

Our Store Open Saturday Evening.

Browning, King & Co.

Open Saturday Until 10 P. M.

The MODEL

"Your Money's Worth or Money Back."

Seventh and Washington Av.

RACING

SEASON OPENS AT FAIR
GROUNDS AND UNION TRACK

NICHOLS MAY GO IN AGAINST THE PIRATES

National League Season Opens in St. Louis Today With Cardinals and Pittsburgh Pitted—Both Teams Are in Form.

The Pirates and the Cardinals will open the National League season in St. Louis at League Park this afternoon. Game will be called at 3:30 p. m. The teams will line up this afternoon in the first of a series of three games, and Managers Nichols and Clarke are both confident that the percentage figures will write a .500 behind their clubs Monday morning.

The Pittsburgh team arrived in St. Louis Wednesday morning and with the Cardinals attended the opening of the American League season at Sportsman's Park yesterday afternoon. The club is in full strength, and all of the men seem to be perfectly trained.

"The Cardinals certainly seem to be a good aggregation this year," said Clarke Thursday. "I was astonished to see the way they were batting in the spring series against the Browns. Of course, they can't hope to do nearly that well when the weather gets warmer and the pitchers' arms get a little looser, but making allowances for that they have been doing some pretty alarming slugging."

The Pirates certainly seem to be a good aggregation this year, too. Nichols stated that probably either Taylor or himself will open the season for Pittsburgh this afternoon. Taylor is working well and Nichols will probably send him to the firing line. Following is the probable line-up and batting order of the two teams this afternoon:

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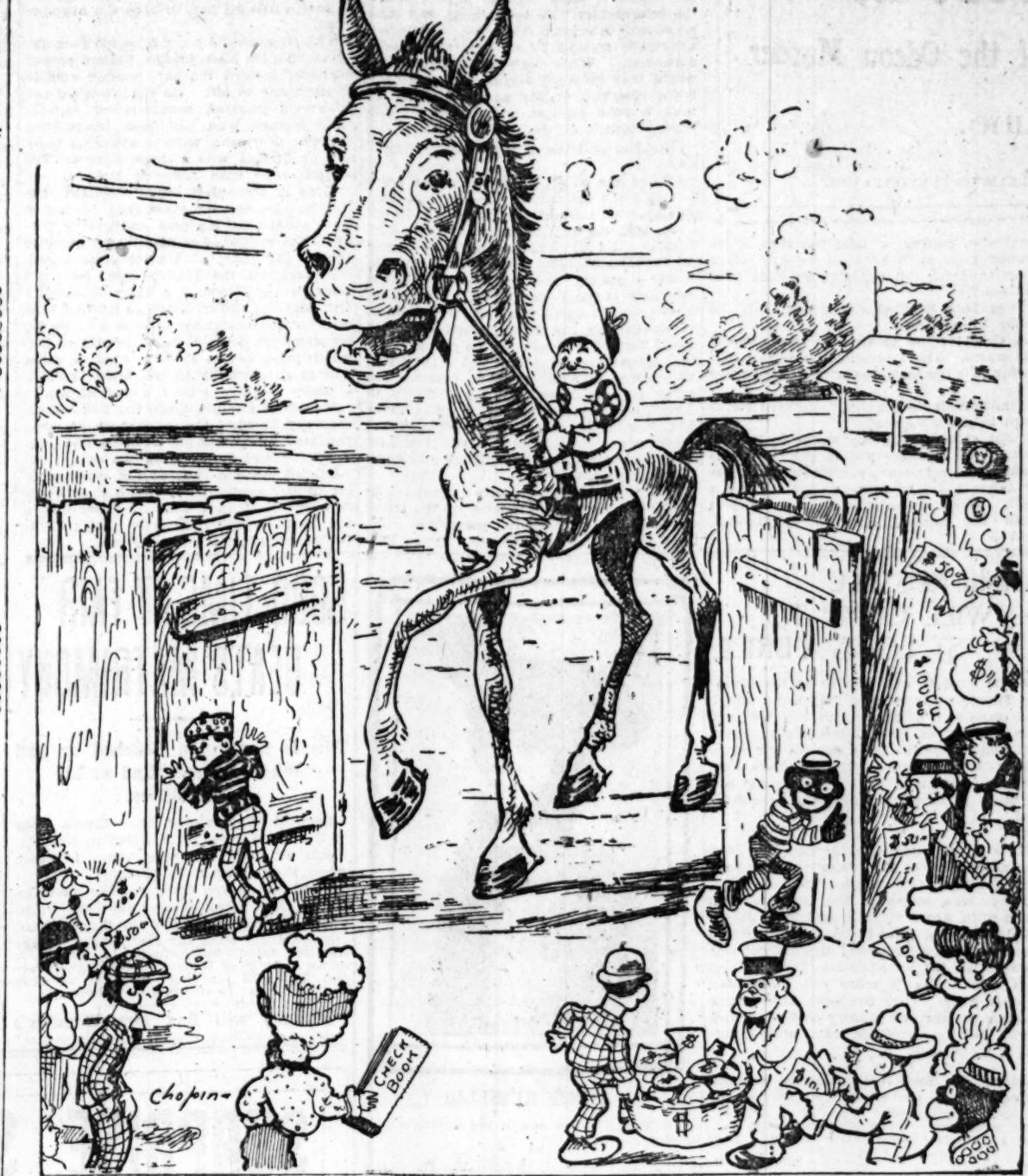
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BASEBALL

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PONY UP FOR THE PONIES



HOW "PHILADELPHIA" JACK O'BRIEN KNOCKED OUT JACK "TWIN" SULLIVAN

Experts Agree That Twin Sullivan Had No Possible Chance Against Jack O'Brien, Who Knocked Out His Opponent in the Third Round.

Harry S. Sharpe, official referee of the West End Club, and Prof. William Clark, the "Belfast Chicken," present to the readers of the Post-Dispatch their impressions of the fight between Philadelphia Jack O'Brien and Jack ("Twin") Sullivan at the West End Club Thursday night. Both accounts of the fight were written exclusively for the Post-Dispatch.

BY HARRY S. SHARPE, Referee of the West End Club. Written Exclusively for the Post-Dispatch.

The fight between Jack O'Brien and "Twin" Sullivan demonstrated that "dope" in the fighting game counts for little between men of equal weight and ring experience.

Certainly if Hugo Kelly fought O'Brien a draw and Sullivan beat Kelly in decisive order, as reports say he did at Kansas City, last week, it does not figure that O'Brien should dispose of Sullivan in three rounds.

This he did last night.

The fight was of short duration and but little can be said of it, but that O'Brien outclassed Sullivan cannot be denied.

The first round was fairly even, with Sullivan eager to mix it, but failing short when trying to land his famous right.

In the second round O'Brien had solved his opponent's knock in trade and had no difficulty in landing almost at will, always carefully, however, to avoid Sullivan's dangerous right cross.

The Philadelphia fighter would feel a right cross for the jaw, but instead of letting it go all the way, would drop his hand on Sullivan's left shoulder, employing his forearm to block and counterpunching.

The men broke freely and no blows of consequence were landed in the break-away, though both tried to land opportunist.

In the third round O'Brien sent his right straight across, and it landed flush upon Sullivan's jaw. The Philadelphia man had been working up to this blow, and when the opportunity came he sent it over swift and sure.

Sullivan's best blows were to the body and a left swing to the ribs seemed to worry O'Brien most.

When Sullivan went down the first time he made the mistake of rising to his feet too soon. This was because he had been hard hit, and he was dazed and uncertain.

I had counted but four when he struggled to his feet, dazed and uncertain.

When O'Brien sent his right over the next time it was the finishing touch, and though Sullivan made every effort to rise he was too far gone to recover before the count of ten.

BY PROF. "BILL" CLARK, The Belfast Chicken, and a Former Champion Pugilist.

At the request of the Post-Dispatch I sat in the press box at the West End Club Thursday night and watched Jack O'Brien kidnap "Twin" Sullivan in less than three rounds.

After it was over I went up and congratulated Sullivan on getting put out as quickly as he did. It saved him an awful drubbing. He never had a chance at any time and the knockout saved him from a setting himself to make a fight he was not over.

Now my impression of the fight is this: that there wasn't any fight. O'Brien is a fighter and Sullivan is not, and it takes two fighters to make a fight.

It was a hundred-to-one shot the minute both men stepped into the ring which one would win. There was an air of grim bustle and suspense about O'Brien that I like to see on a man that carries my money into the ring.

His manner was quick and aggressive and this man Sullivan acted as if he was out to fight a friendly fight. There was no speed or earnestness about him at any time, and he did not seem to take the game seriously at all. But he was the more nervous of the two. I was up in his dressing room before the fight and he was walking around in and out of the door.

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TELETYPE WIRE TO NEW YORK.

IMPERIAL PALACE AT SEOUL DESTROYED BY FIRE.
 PARIS, April 15, 1:10 p. m.—A cable re-
 port received at the foreign office here
 today that the imperial palace at Seoul,
 Korea, was completely destroyed by fire
 last night. The fire began in the evening

and lasted throughout the night. Only the
 ruins of the palace remain. The emperor
 and his suite succeeded in escaping to a
 nearby refuge. The report does not men-
 tion any loss of life, nor does it give the
 cause of the fire, but the recent political
 unrest in the Korean capital leads to fears
 that the destruction of the palace was the
 work of the rebellious element.

Hospes Funeral Sunday.
 The funeral of Richard Hospes, late
 cashier of the German Savings Bank, will
 take place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock
 from the residence, 300 Lafayette avenue.
 The following employees of the bank will
 be active pallbearers: C. H. Fischer, Ed-
 ward Barklage, Charles W. Stein, Henry
 P. Roll, Hugo Seidel and Frank Koenig.

**PROPOSES, IS ACCEPTED,
 AND WEDDED WITHIN HOUR.**



Mrs. Thomas Farrell.
 "We were married at the police station
 because it was the only place convenient
 at that time of night," said Thomas Far-
 rell of 13 North Third street, East St. Louis,
 today, regarding his marriage at 11:30
 Thursday night. Miss Edna Samuels of
 No. 218 North Compton avenue, St. Louis.
 The ceremony was performed in the office
 of Chief of Police Purdy by Justice Beach,
 who was summoned from his home. It
 was the sudden culmination of an ac-
 quaintance of two or three years.
 Last night Miss Samuels went to East
 St. Louis and spent the evening in Far-
 rell's company. About 10 o'clock Farrell
 started to accompany her back to St. Louis,
 but on the way he proposed that they
 be married. Miss Samuels assented and a
 trip was made to the home of George
 Caughlin, marriage license clerk, who is-
 sued the license at nearly 11 o'clock.
 The couple then went downtown, and
 passing the police station, Farrell suggest-
 ed that he knew Chief Purdy, the cer-
 emony might be performed there. Justice
 Beach hurried from his home and the wed-
 ding took place in the presence of the
 members of the night force in the station
 at that time.
 Mr. and Mrs. Farrell will live at 13 North
 Third street, East St. Louis.

HAWLEY AND RAY WORRIED.

**Ask Court to Restrict Sully's Pro-
 ceedings Against Them.**
 NEW YORK, April 15.—Edwin Hawley,
 and Frank Ray have filed a petition in the
 United States district court for a restraining
 order against the receivers to stay all
 proceedings in the matter of the examina-
 tions growing out of the failure of D. J.
 Sully & Co. This motion will be heard
 April 18.

Banquet for Judge Wilfley.
 A banquet in honor of Judge L. E. Wilf-
 ley, attorney-general of the Philippines,

who is now visiting his mother and brother
 in St. Louis, will be given at the Jef-
 ferson Hotel Thursday evening, April 15.
 Judge Wilfley will leave for Washington
 next week to argue a number of cases be-
 fore the Supreme Court and will again
 make a short visit here before leaving for
 the Philippines.

FANCY DRESS GARDEN PARTY.
 Jacob Mahler's pupils will not give a
 play this year, but will hold forth at the
 Odéon tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon with
 a fancy dress garden party. The stage will
 be transformed into a floral garden, where
 the children will hold a garden party in
 fancy dress costume. The pupils will intro-
 duce fancy dances and songs.

VISITOR'S INJURIES FATAL.

**Fall From Olive Street Car Causes
 Milwaukee Man's Death.**
 R. A. Goggin, aged 23, of Milwaukee,
 Wis., died at St. John's Hospital Friday
 morning of injuries sustained by falling in
 an attempt to board an eastbound Olive
 street car near Vandeventer avenue, as
 told in the late editions of Thursday's Post-
 Dispatch.
 Goggin was visiting in St. Louis. He was
 allowed to lie on the track, where the
 accident occurred, for twenty minutes with-
 out medical attention. He was taken to
 the Vandal apartment house before he was
 removed to St. John's Hospital.

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FOLK UNFAVORABLE TO COMPROMISE

Circuit Attorney's Lieutenants Stirk
 to Determination to Contest
 Jasper County Delegation.

Feeling that Circuit Attorney Folk may
 control a majority of the uncontested de-
 legates and thus unseat their entire dele-
 gation, the Reed forces in Jasper County
 have made overtures for a compromise.

It is understood that Reed's friends are
 willing to give Folk one-half of the dele-
 gates, provided the other half are secured.

A Folk lieutenant said Friday that under
 no circumstances would Mr. Folk consent
 to a compromise.

"We feel," said he, "that fraud was prac-
 ticed in Joplin just as it was in St. Louis,
 though perhaps on a smaller scale."

Among the men who led the Reed forces
 in Joplin were "Bully" Funn, coal oil in-
 spector of St. Louis, former Representative
 Russell Kneisky of Carroll County, the
 present representative from that county,
 Newell Conkling and his brother, Virgil
 Conkling, ex-secretary of the Democratic
 state committee.

"Mr. Folk believes he can produce evi-
 dence that he had a majority of the votes,
 but that the opposition took snap judgment
 on him."

"Whatever happens, Gib Barbee will not
 succeed himself as state committeeman,
 because all the candidates in the district, ex-
 cept Jasper, are against him."

SOCIETY

Miss Margaret McCabe and Mr. Ben Fulk-
 erson were married Monday morning at
 10 o'clock at the Church of the Sacred
 Heart, Rev. Father James J. Mc-
 Cabe, an uncle of the bride, performed the
 ceremony.

A reception to the relatives only was held
 at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs.
 Mary J. McCabe, 215 St. Louis avenue.

Miss May McCabe, a sister of the bride,
 and Miss Ada McDonald assisted the bride,
 and Messrs. A. Fulkerson, Julie Luckett,
 Harry McCabe, George McEnnis and Hu-
 bert LeFaive attended the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulkerson departed on the
 noon train for the East, where they will
 spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. J. Long of 1234 Hogan street enter-
 tained the Don't Worry Coffee Club on
 Wednesday. Mrs. C. Ferguson will enter-
 tain at the next meeting. Those present
 were: Meses. Ferguson, Rothard, Scamell,
 Kelly, Derby, Wright, Uden, Kepman.

Mr. Mahler's children's fancy dress gar-
 den party will be given Saturday afternoon
 on the stage of the Odéon at 2 o'clock.
 There will be 51 children on the stage in
 costumes of all nations and will dance na-
 tional dances. The stage is to be trans-
 formed into a garden by the lavish decora-
 tion of foliage, shrubs and flowers.

The following ladies have taken boxes for the
 occasion: Mrs. George W. Nienburg, Mrs.
 Walker Hill, Mrs. D. C. Nugent, Mrs. A.
 Clifford, Mrs. E. A. Faust, Mrs. Ed-
 wards Whitaker, Mrs. Corina H. Spencer,
 Mrs. P. E. Nulsen, Mrs. W. K. Bixby, Mrs.
 P. H. Skipwith, Mrs. G. V. R. Mechin.

Miss Annie Troll of 383 Shaw avenue en-
 tertained friends Sunday afternoon at her
 home in honor of her birthday. After sup-
 per the guests enjoyed coffee. The prizes
 were won by Miss John Olin, Miss Minnie
 Miller, Miss Lotta Boldschlag and
 Dr. Hall. Refreshments were decorated
 with flowers and streamers of ribbon at one
 corner. These the guests carried off as
 souvenirs. The participants were as fol-
 lows:

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Duesell, Joe Diehl, Bar-
 ney Bertold, John Oulbrake, Adolph Troll,
 Meses Tillie Hampe, Minnie Winter, Mau-
 rice Martyn, Emma Floehn, Lola Schmidt,
 Lotta Boldschlag, Messrs. Harry Troll and
 Dr. Hall.

The members of the Union Club have sent
 out cards for Monday evening, when they
 will give the opera, "Said Pasha," with a
 strong cast and chorus of 50 voices, made
 up of club members. The performance will
 begin promptly at 8:30.

Financial Troubles Cause Suicide.
 ALBANY, O., April 15.—J. T. Wilson,
 chairman of the board of public safety
 and a prominent attorney of this city,
 committed suicide today by shooting. Mr.
 Wilson was a stockholder in the Iron
 Savings Bank, which recently failed, and
 it is supposed that financial troubles caused
 him to take his life.

Pastor Calvin's Reception.
 Rev. F. N. Calvin, pastor of Compton
 Heights Christian Church, and his family
 will give a reception at their home Friday
 evening, April 15, to the members and
 friends of the congregation.

Mesess Artie and Enola Calvin, who have
 recently returned from Europe, where they
 devoted two years in the study of music,
 will assist their parents in entertaining the
 guests.

Buy \$10,000,000 B. & O. Bonds.
 NEW YORK, April 15.—Speyer & Co. and
 Kuhn, Loeb & Co. have purchased \$10,
 000,000 of Baltimore & Ohio 4½ per cent
 bonds. Of this amount \$2,000,000
 will be used to pay off the second mortgage
 bonds of the Chesapeake and
 Eastern Transit Co. due July 1, and the
 balance will be applied to new bonds.

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